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HERE TO PURCHASE BUSINESS, ALTOONA MAN IS HELD UP AND ROBBED OF $1,250 IN CASH

Another Holdup, the Biggest Yet Reported, Staged in Carnegie Avenue.

After selling his store in Altoona and coming here with a little more than $1,250 to purchase a business in this city, Mike Esie, an Assyrian, was robbed of his roll by negro thugs last night near the corner of Carnegie and Baldwin avenues. The police were notified this morning and are searching for the highwaymen, who were assisted by a negro woman.

Esie told the police that he had come here last night from Uniontown. He had been in that city attempting to buy a place of business with the proceeds of his sale in Altoona. Not succeeding in Uniontown he came here last night about midnight. He went to a restaurant and had something to eat but did not feel well.

Thinking a walk in the cool air might do him some good, Esie says he went up Fairview avenue and out Carnegie avenue. As he was approaching Baldwin the two negroes assaulted him, knocking him down. While one held him the other went through his pockets and secured the roll containing $1,250. This they gave to the woman who ran while the two highwaymen held their prisoner.

The roll contained eight $50 bills, two $100 bills, 32 $20 bills and one $10 bill. The money was taken from his hip pocket. A smaller roll of $31 was missed by the thugs, it being in another pocket.

The office at the junk yard of A. I. Daniels was entered again last night but nothing was taken as far as had been ascertained by Mr. Daniels up to noon today. The door had been broken open with the use of an iron shaft. The safe was not opened. On a previous occasion when the office was entered, the safe had not been locked and the thieves made a hail. The robbery was reported to the police this morning.

TWO TO FIVE YEARS IN PEN FOR BURGLAR.

Edgar Thieverage, 20 years old, arrested in Youngstown, O., and brought here on charges of larceny, and who was sent to Uniontown after admitting that he had committed five burglaries in this city, was sentenced from two to five years in the Western Penitentiary by Judge E. H. Reppert in Uniontown this morning.

The prisoner was told that provided he could secure a recommendation from a good reliable Boston, Mass., business man, he would be given his choice between the penitentiary and the Huntingdon Reform school; otherwise he would go to the pen.

Thieverage said his home was in Boston and that he was the son of a well known stove maker of that city. He declared he left home for New York to have a good time, later going to Chicago and then to Sand Patch, coming to Connellsville from that place.

THIEVERAGE IS SENTENCED

Confessed Burglar is Given Two to Five Years in Penitentiary But May Be Sent to Huntingdon; Says He Comes of an Excellent Family.

COUNCILMEN AT ODDS OVER BOARD OF HEALTH CHOICE

Legality of Election of Dr. T. R. Francis Last Night Is Questioned.

THREE MEMBERS PRESENT

One, R. W. Hoover, Declines to Vote, But Mayor Duggan Rules That Candidate Receiving Two Votes Is Elected; Matter Now up to the Solicitor.

The usual cordial relations among the members of city council became somewhat strained last evening at the regular February session over the election of a member of the board of health to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of Dr. Thomas R. Francis. It was the second attempt to fill the vacancy, there having been a tie vote on the previous occasion.

Last night there were but three members present—Mayor Duggan, Councilman M. B. Pryce and Councilman R. W. Hoover. There was little business before the body, this being the chief item. Councilman Pryce offered a resolution that council go into an election. Councilman Hoover objected, questioning the legality of action by the three members present.

Secretary A. O. Bixler looked up the law and read it. The mayor decided the action would be legal.

Councilman Hoover declined to second the resolution.

"What? No second?" quoth the mayor. "Well there will be." Thereupon he signed the resolution and ordered Clerk Bixler to call the roll.

The mayor and Mr. Pryce voted for Dr. Francis. Mr. Hoover, a supporter of Dr. Thomas B. Echard, declared he would not vote. "O you you will," the mayor replied. His Honor asserted that the law required that any member present must vote unless he had reason for not doing so. Mr. Hoover replied that doubt in his mind as to the legality of the election was sufficient cause for him to refuse to vote. This he did.

The mayor declared Dr. Francis elected.

Later the question was referred to the city solicitor who will render an opinion.

In order that the mayor might attend the Boy Scout banquet at the Presbyterian church the reading of the minutes was deferred until the next regular meeting. The only other business was the reading of the mayor's report for January and the submission by Superintendent M. B. Pryce of the Department of Public Safety of a requisition for two tires for the motor fire truck, a barrel of engine oil and 100 pounds of waste for the fire department.

ESTATE VALUED AT $31,000 LEFT BY C. H. BISHOP

Widow is Made Sole Beneficiary and Executrix in Instrument Filed in Uniontown Today.

The widow of the late Charles H. Bishop is named sole beneficiary in the will filed in Uniontown today in which an estate of $31,000, of which $11,000 is personal property and $20,000 real is disposed off.

The will was executed 12 years ago and witnessed by J. E. Sims and William McCormick. The widow is executrix.

PAINTERS BOOST RATES

Paper Hangers Also in on Scale Effective in April.

At a recent meeting held by the painters and paper hangers' union a boost was made in the scale of wages which will go into effect on April 1 for the ensuing year. Journeymen painters will be paid 80 cents an hour instead of 60 cents and paper hangers will get 20 cents an hour for lab work instead of 15.

Painters will be paid time and half time for overtime, double time for Sundays and holidays, and painter foremen in shops will be paid 90 cents an hour. Painters will work eight hours per day. For wire work, paper hangers will be paid 25 cents per single bolt; 30 cents for two edge work, and time work at 80 cents per hour. The contractor will move the tools and furnish the material.

FUND COMPLETE

South Connellsville Memorial Will Cost About $1,000.

At the meeting of the honor roll committee in South Connellsville last night it was decided to go ahead with the plans to purchase a monument costing approximately $1,000.

A sum of about $1,000 has already been contributed towards the memorial.

ATTACKED WITH PICK

Allison Pit Boss in Serious Condition at Brownsville.

Joshua Lanigan, pit boss at Allison, is in the Brownsville General hospital suffering from the wounds of the chest when he was attacked this morning by a supposedly demented Austrian. The man, whose name is given as Kasmir Ruptick, attacked Lanigan with a pick.

The weapon punctured one lung and penetrated the breast bone.

BOLSHEVIKI REPULSED

Infantry Attack Near Archangel Beaten Off by Allies.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The Bolsheviki launched an infantry attack on Saturday against the Allied positions near Sredmakringa, southeast of Archangel.

They were repulsed, according to an official statement on activities in northern Russia, issued by the war office tonight.

FIREMEN'S DANCE

West Side Company Function Tomorrow Night to Raise Soldier Fund.

The New Haven Hose company will give a dance tomorrow night, Lincoln's birthday, at the armory for the purpose of starting a fund for the entertainment of the 15 members of the company in the service when they return. Kiferle's six-piece orchestra will play.

Three hundred invitations have been issued.

Running Old-timer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Younkin of Confluence have recently received a letter from their son, Lloyd, who is in France, stating he is well. He is fireman on a railroad engine which was built in 1865.

LETTERS FROM SOLDIERS IN FRANCE STIR THE WAR DEPARTMENT TO ACTION

Third Assistant Secretary of War F. P. Keppel Makes Request for the Name of the Camp Whence the Complaints as to Unsatisfactory Conditions Come.

AN INQUIRY WILL BE MADE "WITH A VIEW OF BETTERING CONDITIONS"

The publication in The Courier last Tuesday and Wednesday of letters from Connellsville soldiers with the American Expeditionary Forces, in which complaints were made of conditions that were causing much discomfort and dissatisfaction among the men in the camps in the rest areas of France, has been instrumental in moving the War Department to action in the direction of an inquiry "with a view of bettering conditions."

At least such is the purpose expressed by Third Assistant Secretary of War F. P. Keppel in a letter to the editor of The Courier. Having had the publication of the first of these letters brought to his attention Assistant Secretary Keppel requested information as to the location of the camp in France, from which complaints had come, promising upon receipt of this information and, "if available, the name of the man," to "make prompt inquiry" for the purpose stated. The letter of Mr. Keppel is as follows:

WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Third Assistant Secretary.
February 8, 1919.

Dear Sir:—

A copy of your edition of the 4th inst. has been brought to my attention, and I write to inquire if you can let me know the camp in France to which your correspondent refers in the story on page one, column one.

With this information and, if available, the name of the man, we will make prompt inquiry, with a view, if his statements are correct, of bettering conditions.

Very truly yours,
F. P. KEPPEL,
Third Assistant Secretary.

Editor The Daily Courier,
Connellsville, Pa.

Prompt reply was made to Assistant Secretary Keppel's communication, giving rather more information than had been requested, covering, as it did, the location of both camps and designations of the units occupying these camps at the time the letters were written. The names of the authors of the letters were not supplied because of a pledge given to hold them in confidence until release therefrom has been given by the persons having such authority. The letter to Assistant Secretary Keppel follows:

THE COURIER
Connellsville, Pa.
February 10, 1919.

Dear Sir:—

In response to your inquiry of the 8th inst. I am pleased to advise you that the camp in France to which reference is made by the author of a letter published on page one, column one, in the issue of The Daily Courier dated February 4, is located at Villiers le Bois, at which point at least a part of the 319th Infantry, 80th Division, was stationed at the time the letter was written.

For your further information, although not requested, I would advise that the camp in France to which reference is made by the author of a letter published in The Daily Courier, issue of February 5, on page one, column one, is located at Ancy le Franc, at which point at least a part of the 305th Ammunition Train, also of the 80th Division, was stationed at the time the letter was written.

The names of the authors of these letters are at present not available to any person except myself, the identity of each being protected by a newspaperman's pledge not to reveal them without, or until, express permission to do so has been given by the persons having such authority.

The information contained in the letters referred to, together with that given herein, which is rather more than requested, identifies with such definiteness the units and designates so specifically the camps whence complaints have emanated, that your Department will no doubt be enabled to make an inquiry "with a view," as you state, "of bettering conditions."

The Courier is ready to give just as wide publicity to a report of the results of such an inquiry as has been given to the complaints which make such an inquiry desirable or necessary, if you will kindly favor us with a copy of the report.

Very truly yours,
JOHN L. GANS,
Managing Editor.

Hon. F. P. Keppel,
Third Assistant Secretary of War,
Washington, D. C.

The families of the two soldiers who had written concerning the unsatisfactory conditions that have existed in the camps at Villiers le Bois and Ancy le Franc, and also the friends of other soldiers who have written similar letters, will be greatly relieved to know that the War Department has taken cognizance of the complaints and will institute an inquiry with a view to removing the causes of dissatisfaction.

DEATH CLAIMS MRS. R. M. CUTHBERTSON, JR., AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS

Babe Born Saturday Night to Wife of Well Known Business Man is Getting Along Well.

Mrs. Emma Lou Gilliland Cuthbertson, 26 years, four months and three days old, wife of Ralph M. Cuthbertson, Jr., a well known young business man of Connellsville, died this morning at 12.30 o'clock at the home of her mother, Mrs. Laura Gilliland, 320 North Pittsburg street, following a brief illness. Mrs. Cuthbertson was taken ill in New York City, where she had gone with her husband a week ago last Saturday. They returned home on the following Monday and since then Mrs. Cuthbertson had been critically ill. Saturday night she gave birth to a little daughter and she gradually grew weaker. She was conscious until death. The baby, the first child in the family, is getting along splendidly.

Mrs. Cuthbertson was born in Connellsville October 8, 1892, the only daughter of David B. Gilliland and Mrs. Laura Irwin Gilliland, and had resided here all her life. On July 3, 1915, she was married in Pittsburg to Ralph M. Cuthbertson, Jr., who is associated in business with his father, Ralph M. Cuthbertson, Sr., of the E. Dunn store. Following a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Cuthbertson returned to Connellsville, where they have since resided, making their home with the latter's mother.

Mrs. Cuthbertson was one of the most widely known young women of Connellsville. She was a woman of estimable character and won the friendship and esteem of all with whom she came in contact. Her untimely death is keenly felt by her wide circle of friends. The deceased is survived by her husband, her little daughter and her mother.

Funeral services will be held from the family residence Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with Rev. G. W. Buckner, pastor of the Christian church, officiating. Interment in Hill Grove cemetery.

Lincoln's Birthday.

Tomorrow is Lincoln's birthday.

GILES RETIRING

Location of Crawford Avenue Jeweler to be Taken by Another.

C. T. Giles, Crawford avenue jeweler, is closing out his business. Mr. Giles has been located in the same place for over 13 years, having moved into the building October 1, 1901.

Mr. Giles is undecided about his future plans but if he decides to open up again it is probable that he will seek other fields. The location will be occupied April 1 by the Community Jewelry shop.

ELECT PRESIDENT TODAY

New German Constitution is Adopted by National Assembly.

By Associated Press.

WEIMAR, Monday, Feb. 10.—The German national assembly has adopted the provisional constitution with little amendment.

The national president will be elected Tuesday.

Sent to Allentown.

Street Inspector William McCormick received a telegram last night from his son, Ray, at Newport News, saying he was to be sent to Allentown, Pa., today. Ray arrived from overseas a few days ago.

Attend Meeting in Uniontown.

Mrs. J. French Kerr and Mrs. W. P. Clark are in Uniontown today attending a meeting of the Woman's Assistance Board of Fayette county, of which they are members.

Weather Forecast

Cloudy tonight and Wednesday; probably snow or rain; warmer tonight is the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature Record.

	1919	1918
Maximum	35	51
Minimum	13	33
Mean	24	42

The Yough river remained stationary during the night at 1.20 feet.

DR. A. S. SHERRICK, ALVERTON, KILLED BY TROLLEY CAR

Believed He Stepped Too Close to the Car or, Weak From Illness, Fell Against It.

While returning home from a visit to a sick patient last night Dr. A. S. Sherrick, 56 years old, a well known practicing physician of Alverton, was struck by the 10 o'clock street car, from which he had alighted, and died this morning at 1.45 o'clock at his home from the shock. Dr. Sherrick was recovering from an illness and his condition being very weak, it is thought he fell against the car or was too close to it when it started out. The motorman picked up the injured man and carried him to the Sherrick home, which is nearby the scene of the accident. Dr. J. P. Strickler of Scottdale was summoned and after making a thorough examination discovered that Dr. Sherrick had received no injuries or bruises, but was suffering greatly from the shock.

Dr. Sherrick had resided in Alverton for many years and was widely known in that community. He is survived by his widow and the following children: Hugh Sherrick, New Stanton; Jean, Emmaline, Joseph and James Sherrick, all at home.

The deceased was a cousin of Dr. F. N. Sherrick of East Apple street.

Tanker in Distress.

HALIFAX, Nova Scotia, Feb. 11—A wireless call saying the American oil tank steamship J. M. Guffey was taking water in the forehold and was sending out S. O. S. calls was intercepted here today. The vessel's position was given off Cape Race.

"Bill" Stickel Home.

William Stickel, who has been with the 29th Field Battalion at Camp Sheridan, Ala., returned home last night. "Bill" says in relating his experiences that he has "been every place but France."

Return to Work Ordered.

LONDON, Feb. 11—All the strikers in the Clyde district have been instructed by their leaders to return to work tomorrow.

"GET NEXT TO YOUR BOY, BE HIS PAL," IS ADVICE GIVEN TO FATHERS AT SCOUT BANQUET

Two Hundred Members of Organization and Others at Anniversary Meet.

NATIONAL LEADER SPEAKS

Chief Address at Rally at Presbyterian Church is Delivered by H. M. Butler, Field Commissioner; Captain Scott, Marine, and Others on the Program.

About 200 Boy Scouts and their guests attended a banquet held at the First Presbyterian church last night which closed the anniversary week celebration. The dinner was one of a get-together spirit between the fathers and the sons. Scout officials and men of the city gave interesting talks. The appreciation of the work which has been done by the scouts was conveyed to them by Mayor John Duggan.

"Get next to your boy, be his pal," was the theme of most of the speakers. Both H. M. Butler, national field scout commissioner in charge of five states, and Chief Executive Zollar of Westmoreland county, gave that message to the fathers of the boys. "The fault with us, including me," said the field commissioner, "is that we are afraid. We are afraid the bubble will be pricked and we will be found out. Too many men are leaving to the scoutmaster the job of the father instead of keeping his son his pal. Don't try to bluff that boy. It will not last long. When you don't know a thing, tell him."

Turning to the progress of the scout organization, the field commissioner asked the men present what scouting meant to Connellsville. "I wonder if it is worth while in Connellsville," he asked. "The scouts need support. There is need for more troops in this city. Only about eight per cent of the boys are enrolled. There is a need for more scoutmasters, men who understand boys."

"Scouting is a movement open to all creeds. It is a character building organization which appeals to boys and it teaches the American spirit and American ideals."

Speaking to the scouts he said he was tremendously delighted to see so many wearing medals. "It means service. It's splendid that so many of you wear government medals. But that service is no more than that of the fellow who offers to do the dishes for his mother in the evening."

The commissioner urged every scout to remember his pledge to "do a good turn daily—without tips." He also urged the patrol leaders, the non-commissioned officers of the scout army, to bring the boys under them up to first-class scouts.

Chief Scout Executive Zollar of Greensburg delivered greetings from the Westmoreland county boys, and expressed his pleasure at being present.

Captain Scott, a former Marine, who saw service overseas, told of two engagements in which he took part, that at Soissons and the St. Mihiel attack. "If the war brings forth nothing else," he declared, "it will bring back men who learned to know God." He delivered a forcible message to the scouts and enjoined them to "learn your duty, and do it. Do it for the pride there is in doing it and live a clean life, so you can be a 100 per cent efficient man."

Other speakers of the evening were Mayor Duggan, Attorney E. C. Higbee and Secretary Underwood of the Baltimore & Ohio Y. M. C. A., a former scoutmaster in Washington, D. C. Walter P. Schenck, president of the local council, was toastmaster. The dinner was in charge of the T. J. Hooper Bible class of the First Presbyterian church and was served by the Camp Fire Girls.

After the dinner many of the men present were enrolled in the local council, the governing body of Boy Scouts in the city, which has not yet been re-organized for 1919.

During the early part of the evening an orchestra organized by Scout Paul Behanna of Troop No. 4 gave several delightful selections.

FORCES LINE UP

Fight Soon in Congress to Determine Fate of Naval Bill.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11—To save the new three-year naval building program from defeat through parliamentary coup the House rules committee today ordered the report of a rule making the legislation authorizing construction of 10 battleships and 10 scout cruisers in order for House consideration as a part of the $720,000,000 naval appropriation bill.

Champions and opponents of the expansion policy prepared for a test of strength in the House in consideration of the rule. A vote on the rule was to be taken after two hours of debate.

Birthday Dinner.

A birthday dinner was served yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Shives of Brookvale in honor of their birthday anniversaries. Mr. and Mrs. Christ Stockdale of Greensburg presented Mr. and Mrs. Shives with a handsome birthday cake, decorated with candles and American flags.

RETURN TO PARIS BY MARCH 15, PLAN OF THE PRESIDENT

Wilson Will Be in Washington Only Long Enough to Sign Bills.

LEAGUE PLAN IS MATURING

Draft Scheduled for Second Reading Today and May be Disposed of by End of Week; Nipponese Hold Out for Former German Possessions.

By Associated Press.

PARIS, Feb. 11—Evidences of President Wilson's intention not to abandon the peace conference upon the ratification of the society of nations plan was found in the disclosure yesterday of his plan to return from Washington to Paris by March 15. This involves so brief a stay in Washington as to permit only the signing of bills during the closing hours of Congress. It is understood that Mr. Wilson intends to give personal attention in Paris to the work of the supreme executive council which promises to be the most important feature of the peace conference, after the disposal of the society of nations.

Interesting developments in the work of the supreme council of the peace conference are expected today. The draft of the plan for a society of nations will be before the commission for second reading and it is probable that it will be prepared for action by a plenary session of the conference late in the week.

Japan has reiterated her intention to hold the Marshall and Caroline islands in the Pacific which she took from Germany during the war as well as to insist upon the execution of her agreement reached in September last with China regarding Shantung. A formal statement to this effect by Japanese representatives has been made public here. It is not considered that the China-Japan controversy or Japan's claims regarding the Pacific islands are likely to delay the society of nations project. It seems probably, however, that these matters will be considered later by that organization.

JAPAN'S ATTITUDE CAUSING ALARM IN PEACE CONFERENCE

Mikado's Government Virtually Threatens War to Force China to Meet Demands.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11—Japan's attitude towards China in the peace conference is causing grave apprehension among the representatives of the other associated powers. According to official diplomatic information reaching here, Japan virtually has threatened war if China makes public secret treaties between the two countries and fails to carry out an agreement to make Japan the successor of Germany in right, property and concessions held by Germany at the outbreak of the European war.

China is relying on the peace conference, where her delegates are said to have made an excellent impression, and is seeking support from the United States and Great Britain.

FIFTEEN AT ALTAR

Final Service by Evangelist Cairns at M. P. Church Last Night.

The largest Monday audience was out last night at the union revival at the Methodist Protestant church to hear the evangelist as he discoursed on "Being Left Out."

Fifteen bowed at the altar. Mr. Hoover conducted the singing. Rev. Cairns sang a touching solo.

The meetings will continue indefinitely under the direction of the three pastors of the churches uniting. There will be prayer meeting at 7 o'clock and song service at 7:30. The preaching will begin at 8.

Buys Half Interest.

One-half interest in the property occupied by the Wright-Metzler store, Uniontown, has been purchased by the Wright-Metzler company from Robert Hogsett. The other half of the Main street property is owned by John F. Hankins. The consideration in the deal was not announced.

Four Transports Sail.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11—Four transports and a cruiser with more than 10,000 troops aboard have sailed from France and will arrive at New York and Newport News between February 16 and February 20.

At Newport News.

Mrs. Alice Holt received a letter Monday from her son, Edgar Russell Holt, who has been in France but is now in the States. The letter came from Newport News.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union, District No. 2, will meet on Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. E. Coleman in Morrell avenue, Greenwood. All interested are invited. "Education of Women" will be discussed.

Miss Emma Gertrude Brewer of Layton and Carl Kriner of this city were married Sunday at noon in the home of the bride, with Rev. W. S. Miller of South Connellsville officiating. In addition to the immediate friends, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Stimmel of Layton and Mrs. W. S. Miller of South Connellsville witnessed the ceremony. The bridegroom is a member of Company D, 110th Regiment, and was gassed. He returned to the States last December and is employed at the West Penn Power house. Mr. and Mrs. Kriner will reside in South Connellsville.

The W. C. T. U. of South Connellsville will meet at the home of Mrs. Ida Seaman Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock to complete the ambulance robe upon which the members have been working. All ladies are requested to bring their blocks in order that the robe may be finished. It was originally intended to give this robe to the Red Cross, but now that the war is ended it has been decided to turn it over to the South Connellsville fire department to be disposed of for the benefit of the firemen's fund.

A number of young Italian men of this city met Sunday afternoon and organized the Sigma Theta Sigma Fraternity, the organization being the result of the uniting efforts of Joseph Constantine. Its aim is to elevate the social condition of the fraternity members. Officers were elected as follows: President, Joseph Constantine; vice president, James Rulli; treasurer, Ralph Falco; secretary, Charles Megaro; press agent, Salvatore Tolone. The same young men organized the Sacred Heart society about two years ago but disbanded on account of the war. The "frat" rooms will be in Maddas hall.

At the regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the United Presbyterian church held last week, it was decided to pack a box of fruit for the home of the aged in Wilkinsburg. The committee in charge will be at the church tomorrow afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock and in the evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Nine members attended the regular meeting of the Outlook club held yesterday afternoon at the home of Miss Phoebie Dunn in South Prospect street. The regular program was carried out after which delicious refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held Monday afternoon, February 24, at the home of Mrs. Warren L. Wright in South Pittsburg street.

Mrs. I. W. Myers gave a family dinner last evening at her home in Green street in honor of the forty-second wedding anniversary of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Judge of Wheeling, W. Va. Mrs. E. J. Marks of Wellsburg, W. Va., and R. S. Judge of Pittsburg, a sister and brother of Mrs. Myers, were also present.

A meeting of the officers and teachers of the Sunday school of the First Presbyterian church will be held Wednesday evening at the close of the regular prayer services.

The employes of the Woolworth five and ten cent store presented the former manager, H. S. Lee, with a handsome gold signet ring. Mr. Lee has been transferred to Philadelphia to become manager of the store there.

"The Effect of Peace" is the subject for discussion at the regular meeting of the Union Farmers' club of Fayette county to be held Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Downs in Eighth street, Greenwood. The program is as follows: "Its Effect on Market Animals," W. B. Downs; "On Dairy Products," T. H. Smith; "On General Farm Crops," W. K. Bryson; "On Farm Labor," F. H. Sprenkle. Readings will be given by Miss Mary Freed, Clark Oglevee and S. W. Dunn.

Miss Blanche O. Reagan of Pittsburg and Enos F. King of Scottdale were quietly married Sunday evening at the home of the bride. Rev. G. W. Pender, pastor of the North End Methodist Episcopal church, officiated. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. King left for a trip to Cleveland, Chicago and St. Louis.

The committee in charge has completed all arrangements for the musicale to be given Thursday evening in the chapel of the First Presbyterian church by the King's Daughters. The program will commence promptly at 8 o'clock. Dean Simpson of Pittsburg, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Simpson of East Cedar avenue, will assist in the program, playing two cornet solos. The affair promises to be the best musical entertainment given in Connellsville in recent years. The city's best known musical and literary talent will participate in the program which will consist of vocal and instrumental music, and readings. The accompanists are Miss Pearl Keck, Miss Beth Sherman and Miss Lorna Atwood of Scottdale. A delightful feature of the program will be selections by the Sunday school orchestra in which the popular violinist, John Kiferle, will appear, with Mrs. Clayton Campbell accompanist. A rare musical treat is in store for all who attend.

A Valentine party will be held Thursday evening of this week in the Parochial school auditorium by a committee composed of J. D. Rodgers, T. J. Cuneo, M. C. O'Connor, Joseph E. Love, R. D. Adams, G. K. Mentzer, W. P. Sullivan, V. P. Flynn, H. F. Fox, J. F. McGrath, J. A. Small and A. L. Mittereder. Music will be furnished by Kiferle's six piece orchestra and a program of the latest dance music is being arranged. This is the first party to be held in the auditorium for some time and the committee is making elaborate plans for the event.

Philip Freeman chapter of the D. A. R. will meet Saturday at the home of Mrs. B. C. Cook, East Green street. Members are asked to bring records of all work done, that a report may be made to the national organization in Washington.

The O. N. T. club will meet at the home of Mrs. Fred Neuroth in Park street Thursday afternoon.

PERSONAL.

M. F. Pickard of McCormick avenue left yesterday for St. Petersburg, Fla. The best place to shop after all. Brownell Shoe Company.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. McArdle of Akron, Ohio, were among the out of town relatives who attended the funeral of Patrick J. McArdle, held this morning from the Immaculate Conception church.

Miss Katharine Frisbee went to Pittsburg this morning.

Rev. Father William Merz of Avella, Pa., a former assistant pastor of the Immaculate Conception church, is visiting Rev. Father John T. Burns.

Miss Marie Young left this afternoon for New York, Providence, R. I., and Boston, Mass., to visit relatives and friends for two weeks. During her absence Mrs. Anna Baker of Waynesburg will manage the West Penn tea room. Mrs. Baker is the mother of Miss Margaret Baker, a teacher in the local high school.

Miss Gertrude Wright of Monessen was in town on her way to Scottdale to visit friends.

The condition of Eleanor Coughenour, daughter of Mrs. Ida Coughenour of Johnston avenue, who has been critically ill of influenza-pneumonia, was reported slightly improved this afternoon.

F. W. Wright left Saturday night for Philadelphia to visit his sons, Dana and Frank, who are students at the University of Pennsylvania. From there he will go to New York to buy spring and summer goods for the Connellsville and Uniontown stores of the Wright-Metzler company. Sunday R. M. Evans left for New York to buy goods for the drygoods departments of which he is manager, of the local store. Tonight L. W. Brown of the carpet department, and Fred Deming of the ladies' ready-to-wear department of the local store will leave for the east to join the buyers, and on Sunday Miss Lucy Stillwagon will leave for New York to assist in buying for the ladies' ready-to-wear department. Sunday Miss Catherine O'Connor, corsetier at the local store, and Mrs. Landis of the Uniontown store left for New York where they will spend a week, in the interest of their work. Miss Harriet Ridgeway, manager of the millinery departments of both stores, has returned home from New York where she bought spring and summer millinery.

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WOMAN SUFFRAGE AGAIN DEFEATED; LACKS ONE VOTE

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10—Woman suffrage by federal constitutional amendment was beaten today in the Senate.

The House resolution for submission of the amendment failed of adoption by 55 votes in favor of it and 29 against, one less than the necessary two-thirds.

Thus ended what leading suffrage champions had said in advance would be the final test of this session of Congress. The suffrage advocates went into the test knowing they lacked one vote but hoping to the last that it would be won over.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10—Before crowded galleries and with most of the senators in their seats the House resolution proposing submission of an equal suffrage amendment to the federal constitution was called up in the Senate today at 12:40 o'clock.

Frankfurter Resigns.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10—Felix Frankfurter today announced his resignation as assistant to the secretary of labor.

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Mrs. Ralph M. Cuthbertson, Jr.,

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AFTER BOGUS PROMOTERS

Pittsburg Detectives to Clear That City of This Element.

Orders have been given the police and detectives of Pittsburg to clear that city of the promoters of fake mining corporations and other enterprises that have been finding a lucrative business among wage earners who have exchanged good money or Liberty bonds for worthless stocks.

Police authorities estimate that at least $1,000,000 has been filched from investors in Pittsburg alone during the past year.

The campaign that is undertaken will, it is thought, gather into the net a number of enterprises that have been finding rich picking among victims in the coke region.

NOMINATE COULTER

Selected by Democrats to Succeed the Late Congressman E. E. Robbins.

At a special meeting of the Democrat State Executive Committee held in Philadelphia yesterday, Brigadier-General Richard A. Coulter of Greensburg, formerly colonel of the Tenth Regiment, National Guard of Pennsylvania, was nominated as a candidate to succeed the late Congressman E. E. Robbins in the Westmoreland-Butler district.

A special election will be held on Tuesday, March 4, under proclamation by Governor Sproul. The Republican nominee will be named at a meeting of the conferees of the two counties to be held in Pittsburg February 18.

Daughter Arrives.

Word has been received here of the birth of a daughter this morning to Sergeant and Mrs. Edward D. Gillespie, at the home of Mrs. Gillespie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Clifford in Huntington, W. Va. The father of the child has been in a hospital in France for some time for treatment of severe wounds received in action. Mrs. Gillespie was formerly Miss Mary Clifford and is well known in Connellsville. She is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Dunegan of West Cedar avenue.

King Addresses Parliament.

LONDON, Feb. 11.—King George, in his speech from the throne to the houses of parliament today, urged the legislative bodies to act resolutely in stamping out poverty, diminishing unemployment and improving the health of the nation.

26th Division Coming.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—General Pershing notified the War Department today that he had ordered the 26th Division to prepare for return home.

Mt. Pleasant Woman Dies.

Mrs. Sara Ellen Dillon, 82 years old, widow of Stewart Dillon, died this morning at her home in Cemetery avenue, Mount Pleasant.

Moran Estate $262,339.

The estate of the late James Moran, Uniontown hotel proprietor, is appraised at $262,339 in the report filed today.

Merl Boyd Very Ill.

Merl Boyd, son of Mrs. Ray Boyd, formerly of this city, is very ill with pneumonia at the Boyd home in Greensburg.

Preaching in Uniontown.

Rev. Bronson of Dunbar, is holding evangelistic services at the Mount Rose Baptist church of Uniontown.

Five Initiated.

A class of five was initiated last night into the Maccabees of Uniontown.

Read The Daily Courier.

MAJOR DILLINGER WRITES 28TH IS TO COME HOME SOON

News Received in Uniontown, However, is Based on Rumor Among Men of the Division.

Latest word from overseas is to the effect that the 28th Division is expecting to sail for home March 15. Writing to his aunts, the Misses Eliza and Rachel Lyon of Uniontown, Major G. A. Dillinger of Pittsburg and of the 28th divisional headquarters, sends the latest word concerning the 110th and pays tribute to three Fayette county heroes who beat his letter home, "Rosie" Fuller, James Skiles and Rev. M. J. Barker.

"Well, this terrible war is over and although we have been through the worst of it," wrote the Pittsburg councilman, "and have tried to do our little bit, we are more than anxious for the day to arrive when we will sail for the only country. We are now about 20 miles west of Nancy, France, which is the farthest camp from the front line that we have occupied since June 24. We had an unusual siege of front line duty, but the spirit of the 28th Division is such that complaints are few. We are, according to latest rumors, booked for sailing about March 15 and, believe me, Pennsylvania will know something has arrived when the 28th reaches home."

"I was awfully glad to have the privilege of looking after young Skiles and Fuller when they were wounded at Chateau-Thierry. They are both dandy boys and showed unusual heroism and courage, although dangerously wounded.

"Chaplain Barker, the Episcopal rector from Uniontown, is one of the finest men we had in our division and I was more than delighted when he got the 'D. S. C.' he so richly deserved. He had many wonderful experiences and at all times let everyone know that he was a chaplain. We are all very sorry he had to be sent back home, but am very confident that he will soon regain his health."

JOHNSTOWN TODAY

Flood City Tossers at High School Gym This Afternoon.

The Connellsville high school basketball team will play another hard game this afternoon when the Johnstown dribblers will be here. The game is called for 4:10 o'clock.

The Johnstown team has been showing good form at times this season and to win the Connellsville boys will have to give a repetition of the playing they put up against Braddock here Saturday night. The Johnstown quintet goes up against Braddock at that place on Friday. The game this afternoon is one scheduled in the W. P. I. A. league. Friday night the locals play Dunbar township high here and Saturday night the West Newton girls' team is here. West Newton defeated the Indiana Normal girls last night.

HIGH SCHOOL GIRL WEDS

Miss Ruth Lucille Furlong and Oliver L. Colbert Elope to Cumberland.

Miss Ruth Lucille Furlong, the 15-year-old daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Furlong of the St. James hotel, and Oliver Linwood Colbert, 18 years old, of Dickerson Run, eloped to Cumberland Sunday and were married yesterday morning. The young couple returned last evening to the home of the bride's parents and later went to the home of the bridegroom's parents at Dickerson Run.

Mrs. Colbert is a member of the Connellsville high school and is popular among her many young friends. The bridegroom is a machinist helper and is one of the best known young men of Dickerson Run.

Gets Son's Insurance.

A check for $1,000 was paid to Mrs. Ida M. Kell by the local tent of the Maccabees today. The money was paid as a war claim on account of the death of her son, Alfred Kell.

Beautifying Hillside.

OHIOPYLE, Feb. 11—William Glotfelty has employed several idle men cleaning off the hill above Garrett street, the hill being greatly beautified.

Notice, P. H. C.

Lucy Lowe Circle No. 331 will meet Wednesday evening, February 12, at 8 o'clock, in I. O. O. F. hall, above postoffice, Scottdale, Pa. William Geisler, District Deputy.—Adv.—11-2t.

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NEWSY NOTES TELL WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE MILL TOWN

William Grigor, Marine, at Home After 21 Months in Service.

MISSED GOING TO FRANCE

On Way to Embarkation Fort When Armistice is Signed; Develops Disease and Must Now Go to Hospital; Social and Personal News of Day.

(To the public:—Items for the Scottdale column of The Courier or of interest generally may be left at Rutherford's News Stand, Pittsburg street. They will receive prompt attention. They must be written and should be carefully prepared, using one side of the paper only, in order to insure correct publication. Especial care should be used with proper names. Do not use the telephone in communicating with this agency. Write it. All communications must be signed.)

Special to The Courier

SCOTTDALE, Feb. 11—William Grigor, a Marine, arrived here on Sunday and is spending the week with his sisters, Mrs. Richard Grimm and Mrs. Charles Brothers, of Prittstown, and Mrs. Ernest Skinner and Mrs. Michael Shupe, of North Scottdale. Mr. Grigor spent 26 months in Cuba, Haiti, Havana and Porto Rico. He also did some cruising. On October 10 he was assigned for overseas duty and while on the way to Norfolk, Va., the armistice was signed. He was then transferred to Brooklyn, N. Y., receiving ship and while on duty there was taken ill with influenza and then was transferred to a hospital ship for treatment. After two months there he went to the Washington, D. C., government hospital for examination. Since his attack of influenza the physicians find he has developed tuberculosis of the limbs and on Wednesday he will leave for several months' treatment at Los Anuis, Colo., a new government hospital for tubercular patients.

Clean Up!

Broken lots women's and misses' $25, $35, yes, even $40 coats, suits and dresses at a price so low that no woman can afford to miss such an opportunity to buy a fine winter coat, suit or dress at a saving of $10 to $25. Remember, these are odds and ends and some of the most wonderful prizes are hanging on the racks for first comers—so come early and get your pick. Bendiner's Broadway Ladies' Store, Scottdale, Pa.—Adv.

Miss Silsley Hostess.

The L. K. K. was entertained on Saturday afternoon by Miss Louise Silsley at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. N. E. Silsley on Chestnut street. After the usual business meeting the girls danced the Virginia reel and other dances. Music and card games followed and delicious refreshments were served. The girls who attended were Eleanor and Mildred Yahner, Mildred Stauffer, June Sisley, Isabelle Hayes, Florence Rhodes, Mildred Reed, Virginia Clingerman, Helen Laughrey and Esther Peterson.

New Supervisor.

The Petersons have added another teacher to their school of penmanship supervisors, Miss Sarah Scott of Belle Vernon.

Valentine Dance.

Invitations were issued yesterday for a valentine dance February 17 in the Reid hall from 8 to 12. On the committee are Robert Allen, Joe Maly and Ivan Taylor. Kiferle's orchestra will furnish the music.

For Sale.

Four room house, lot 48x120 feet, on Fifth avenue, owned by Mrs. Hickey, for $1,500.

Six room house, lot 72x120 feet, on School street, for $1,500.

Six room modern house, corner lot 40x120 feet, for $2,800.

Seven room house, one acre land, on Reagantown road, will trade for town property or sell for $1,600.

Four room house, good stable, 7 acres land, 1½ miles from Scottdale, for $1,600. E. F. DeWitt.—Adv.—11-5t.

Personal.

Miss Bessie Finley has returned home from Mount Pleasant where she was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Kinnear.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Anderson spent Sunday in Pittsburg with friends.

Mrs. Harry Laughrey and sons, Donald and Harry, spent the week-end with Mrs. Laughrey's mother, Mrs. Strickler, at Broad Ford.

Mrs. Stanton Pyle spent yesterday at Greensburg.

A RICH INHERITANCE

Those Who Are Not Born to It May Acquire It.

The man who inherits qualities of frugality and thrift is to be envied. He is bound to succeed. Happily, however, such qualities may be acquired. A savings account is a great help. Nothing else in the world has created so many thrifty people. Yours is welcome at the First National of Connellsville. Begin with a dollar if you wish. Liberal interest.—Adv.

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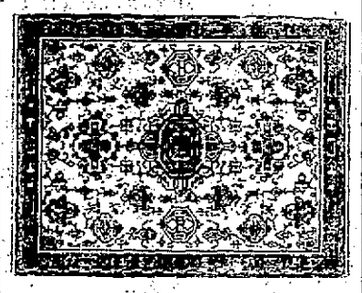
It's because this Sale presents unusual savings on Furniture, Rugs, Carpets, Stoves and Homefurnishings of the best quality—that makes it an event of interest to all. And to make sure that the things you buy will give satisfactory service—we back up every article that we sell with our "satisfaction guarantee."

Connellsville's Reliable **AARON'S** Homefurnishers Since 1891

Check up your Home needs—the things you will want this Spring. Then come in and make your selections now—when you get the advantage of the ADDITIONAL 10% to 35% savings that prevail. The goods will be held for later delivery, if desired. Young married couples can save a goodly sum by selecting their Home Outfits now.

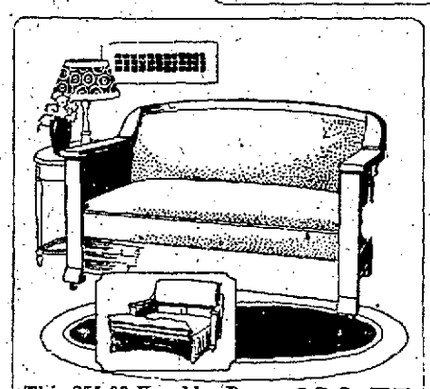
All Rugs, Carpets and Linoleums at Reduced Prices!



Here are two values that deserve your special attention—

$55.00 9x12 Seamless Axminster Rug now ... $42.50

$100.00 9x12 Worsted Royal Wilton Rug now $67.50



This $55.00 Kroehler Davenport, Sale Price $39.75

Made of genuine quarter-sawed oak. Upholstered in a good grade of imitation leather. Can be very quickly converted into a full-size bed as shown.

Reductions of 10% to 20% On All Baby Carriages, Strollers and Go-Carts!

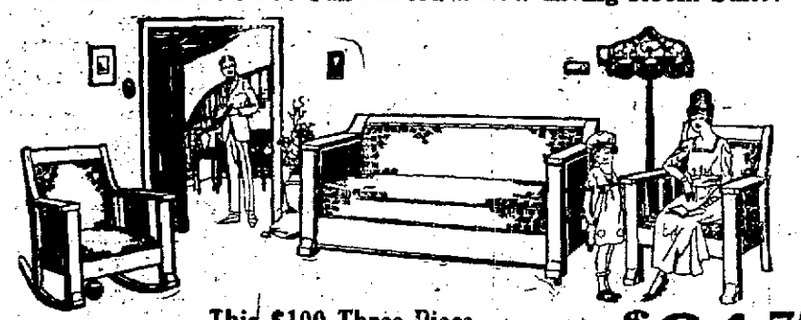
That makes this an ideal time to get Baby a new carriage so that you can take advantage of every warm, sun-shiny day that comes.

Just One of the Many Iron Bed Specials!

This $12.50 Iron Bed February Sale Price $9.75

Finished in a beautiful white enamel which is baked on giving it the appearance of porceliron. Massive in appearance.

At This Price You Too Can Afford a New Living Room Suite!



This $100 Three-Piece Davenport Suite. Sale Price $64.75

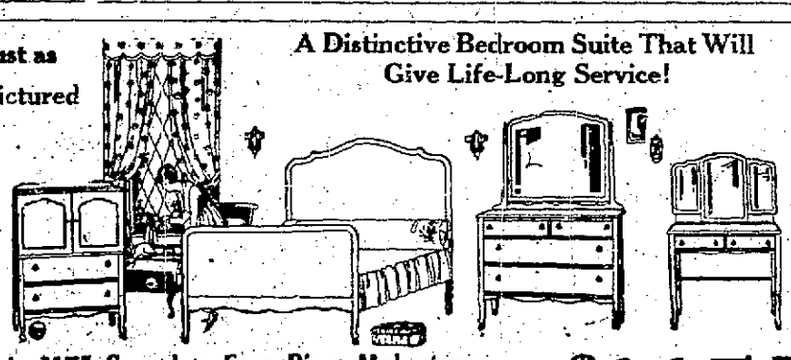
Consists of Davenport, Rocker and Chair—three massive pieces—just as pictured. Upholstering is in the best grade of imitation leather. The spring construction in this suite gives it every conceivable comfort. When you buy a suite of this kind you have practically two rooms in one—a very attractive living Room and a Bedroom.

This $135 Complete Three-Piece Living Room Suite. February Sale Price $95.00

Here is a suite that is well built in every detail—that will give a life-time of satisfactory service. The upholstering is in high grade imitation leather over a heavy coil spring construction. At the February Sale Price it's a very special value.

Just as Pictured

A Distinctive Bedroom Suite That Will Give Life-Long Service!

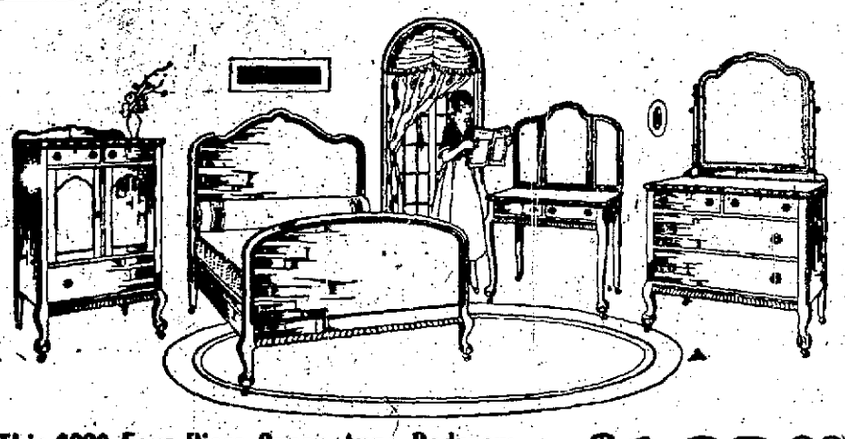


This $175 Complete Four-Piece Mahogany Bedroom Suite. February Sale Price $115.50

Here is a Suite, though very dainty in appearance, that is of the very best construction and workmanship. Made of well-seasoned materials, every piece in this suite will give the kind of service you expect. And at this low price its a very large value.

This $275 Complete Ten-Piece Queen Anne Dining Room Suite. February Sale Price $195.00

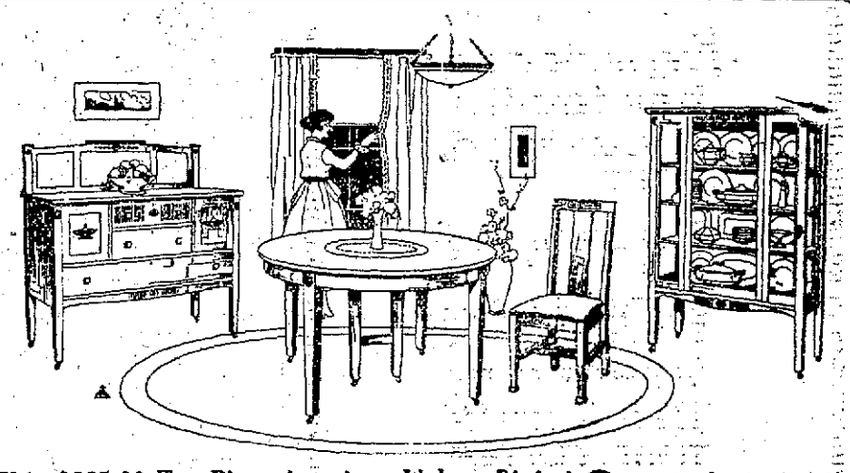
Consists of Extension Table, Buffet, China Cabinet, Serving Table, Arm Chair and five chairs—ten pieces in all. This suite is made of genuine American Walnut and every piece is expertly fashioned. This Suite is one of the big features of the sale—and you cannot afford to pass by this opportunity if you need a new Dining Room Suite.



This $220 Four-Piece Queen Anne Bedroom Suite in Mahogany, February Sale Price $162.00

This $62.50 large Bureau ..... $45.00 This $57.50 large Chiffonette $42.50
This $57.50 Bed (full size) ..... $42.50 This $42.50 Toilet Table $32.00

All four pieces as pictured. While this is one of the most artistic reproductions from this very popular period, yet its construction is of the best, and it is very substantially built. A genuine bargain at this price.



This $225.00 Ten-Piece American Walnut Dining Room Suite, Adam Design, February Sale Price $159.50

Consists of Buffet, China Cabinet, Serving Table, Arm Chair and five Chairs. The Adam design lends itself particularly well to dining room Furniture and this suite is a splendid example of this particular period. At this February Sale price it represents the acme of value-giving.

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LET THE GOOD WORK GO ON.

Every loyal American will hail with delight and satisfaction the action of the federal authorities in deporting a band of 54 Industrial Workers of the World who have been apprehended for pernicious activity in fomenting trouble in the industrial sections of the far west.

There is no room in this country for alien agitators who are out of sympathy with the ideals of all law-abiding, peaceful and industrious citizens, or who seek to inculcate the principles of Bolshevism in America.

Now that a start has been made in the work of ridding our country of this undesirable element there should be no halting until every alien whose attitude during the war stamped him as an enemy of everything American, except possibly the opportunity afforded him to gain a livelihood under the protection of our government, should be returned whence he came.

If this country and the things for which it stands and the liberties and freedom it vouchsafes its citizens is not good enough to be supported loyally, it is too good a place for the residence of those who would overthrow law and order and create a condition of chaos similar to that prevailing in Russia and every other country where the Bolshevists have been tolerated.

Make the clean-up complete. America is for Americans only, or those willing to become Americans.

FROM CLOSE THE THRONE.

The allegation having been made in illy informed quarters that only one newspaper in the whole land has had the temerity to admit to its columns anything resembling a complaint against conditions in the Army camps in France, it is not without interest to note what one of the staunchest supporters of the Administration has to say about the debarkation camp at Brest, where upwards of 70,000 soldiers are awaiting ships to sail for home.

The Washington Post, one of the last newspapers the "super-patriots" would expect to give countenance or space to anything that could be construed as offensive to the least stubborn apologist of Things as They Are in Washington and elsewhere, recently published the results of an investigation of the camp at Brest made by George Rothwell Brown, its own special correspondent in France.

Having described conditions as they appeared to him, Mr. Brown quotes a brigadier general who says:

"It is the worst place which I have ever seen anywhere on earth, and I have traveled all over the world."

Summing up his observations this frankly spoken correspondent confirms the judgment of the general and declares that "the camp at Brest is the worst disgrace that has come to American arms in the war. It is located in a swamp. Not a dry spot exists in the area occupied. Men walk in mud, sleep in mud, have the stuff served them in their food. There has been grave mismanagement in provisioning the soldiers. The tents are thin and insufficient. Tasks far too heavy for soldiers ill-nourished and cold and utterly weary and depressed are imposed. Only one thing buoys up the spirit of the camp—the hope that the ships will come and the men may sail for home."

With such statements coming from a source so near the throne there is likely to be much less bluff and bluster about the "exigencies of war," and fewer and less violent threats about "Federal investigations" of that portion of the press that dares hint something should be done to show that the government give expression to the popular will by providing for the comforts of our soldiers in as full measure as our country is grateful for their sacrifice and service.

ASSUMING HIS PLACE.

Every public appearance and utterance of Governor Sproul draws attention anew to the fact that the new executive is fast taking a large place among the leaders of the country. His recent presence at the annual banquet of the Pittsburg Chamber of Commerce showed how naturally he is assuming his place among the big men and how completely his policies are in accord with the best thought of the day.

Confidence has been begotten in Governor Sproul because he indulges no fantastic pledges. He has made no flamy promises that are impossible of fulfillment, hence his assurances that the state of Pennsylvania is to be given a sound and thorough business administration is accepted everywhere and by everybody as an earnest of his purpose.

His determination to make highway improvement an important undertaking of his administration has received hearty approval throughout the commonwealth. His action in clearing the highway and agricultural departments of politics and reorganizing them upon the basis of efficiency has been accepted as but one of the many evidences of his good faith.

Governor Sproul's pledges have been made so unreservedly and so free of equivocation, that the people know they will be kept to the letter and in the interests of the state as a whole, not for partisan or party benefit and advantage. Meanwhile those who have known him find their admiration for his sterling worth increasing, and those who are learning to know him as the state's chief executive are becoming increasingly pleased with his quiet dignity and his calm courage. They know that these things will make for an administration that will permanently add to the greatness of the Imperial Commonwealth.

For the fourth time during President Wilson's incumbency, and with the Democrats in control of Congress, the equal suffrage amendment has been defeated. And yet we are asked to accept without credulity the assertion that the Democrat party is the one great and good friend of all measures of right, justice, enlightenment and progress.

Clear the gangway for the outward rush of the deported I. W. W.. Don't allow anything to interfere with their swift passage whence they came.

Connellsville can furnish its share of veterans of any scrap Uncle Sam has ever been engaged in, whether it be to take part in a new scrap or to tell how they put an old one over.

There should be prompt and generous response to the call of the Salvation Army for clothing for children. This agency knows the needs of the less fortunate. Let the more fortunate be quick to supply them.

The members of the Army of Occupation having joined in a protest against the proposal to abolish overseas service stripes, we may expect the "super-patriots" to throw some new and more violent spasms of rage at the "yellow," "disloyal" and "pro-German traitors" in the Army.

Sure We Can Do It

Some folks seem to think that Uncle Sam is going to have trouble this spring in floating his Victory-Liberty Loan of $5,000,000,000. That now that the war is over, all save signing the peace treaty, public suport is going to loiter on the way to the bond counter, says the Liberty Loan committee.

But don't you believe it. The great American public, which means of course nothing more nor less than the American people, are going to finish the job. They've been behind Uncle Sam every minute. They're behind him right now. They're going to be behind him until the last nail is driven in the coffin of Kaiserism. Until democracy is really safe for the world.

It took just three weeks in the Fourth Liberty Loan for these same folks to subscribe something like $6,500,000,000. And it wasn't such great shakes as an effort at that.

They have bought something like $17,000,000,000 worth of Liberty Bonds since the war began almost 18 months ago. Yet no one has gone broke in the performance. And there is still a sufficient surplus of loose change lying around the country to take this next $5,000,000,000 issue without seriously crippling any of the projects necessary to our continued prosperity.

For most folks have been making a little more money of late than ever before. Some have been spending more. But most of us have got as far as our A B C's in the lesson of thrift. And we like the idea. Besides this next loan is to be only for a short term, and the rate is to be higher, and winter will be over and spring will be in the air and all will be lovely. And the future will be looking as bright as the skies.

We simply cannot fall down this time. We will not.

Just Folks

Edgar A. Guest.

ALL THAT WE CAN BE.

You never can be one the world can't
get along without—
You cannot grow so wise and good,
so muscular and stout
But what another just as wise and
just as strong can do
The very tasks that you perform and
fill the place of you.
But you can do your work so well
that when you quit your place
The world will miss your cheerful
smile and long to see your face.

Man is not all-important here; life
leans not on the few;
The old departs and youth comes in
the tasks it leaves to do.
When strong men fail the fight goes
on, for men of strength arise.
New sages follow sages dead, for wis-
dom never dies.
But all who have the will to serve
may find their fame in this:
That they are men the world some day
shall sadly mourn and miss.

We cannot lock within our breasts
life's secrets or its lore:
We die, but strength and wisdom live
and will forever more.
We take from life the things we need,
the skill that others lack,
And, when at last death's summons
comes, to life we hand them back.
We shall have reached fame's greatest
height, if when we've traveled
on
A few shall miss us from our post and
mourn that we have gone.

Rippling Rhymes

By Walt Mason.

SICKNESS OR LAZINESS.

I've never felt as good as new since I was laid up with the flu. My wife refers to many chores both in the house and out of doors which should be done without delay, but I am weak, as weak as whey. I simply lack the strength to go and shovel forty tons of snow. If I were only feeling good I'd gladly bring in coal and wood and feed the warthog in his pen, and hump around like other men. But I feel like a castoff shoe since I was laid up with the flu. My wife regards my tale of woe as faked up stuff that isn't so. "You sped along on nimble feet to see that doughnut down the street; you vaulted o'er a six-foot fence and like a racehorse sprinted hence, when you were told by Neighbor Brown that some one's house was burning down. But when I say the roof leaks rain, you're twisted up with poignant pain; you're all unnerved and out of whack, and have the lumbago in your back." Alas, no sympathy is mine; alone I weep the scalding brine. My wife at my complaints has laughed; she thinks I'm working Aesop's graft; she scoffs at crippled lung and limb, and talks about the Brothers Grimm. Yet I am sore in every thew, since I was laid up with the flu.

Who Knows? They May Invite Us to the Second Table

Classified Advertisements

Wanted.

WANTED — YOUR BARBERING business. RENDINE'S. tf

WANTED—WHEN YOU WANT INsurance phone 760. 5oct-tfd

WANTED—YOU TO ADVERTISE IN our classified columns.

WANTED—TWO CHAMBERMAIDS. Inquire at the BALTIMORE HOUSE. 7febtf

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. 203 McCormick avenue, city. 10febtf*

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; $6 per week. Apply 124 W. Apple street. 10febtf

WANTED—TO BUY A SECOND hand typewriter desk. Inquire at Courier office. 10jantf

WANTED — A MAN TO CROP A farm on shares at Normalville. Write "FARM," care Courier. 7febtf*

WANTED— TWO EXPERIENCED bartenders. Apply SCOTTDALE HOUSE, Scottdale, Pa. 11febtf

WANTED — GIRL FOR HOUSEwork. Will pay $6.00 a week and board. Apply 219 Water street. 10febtf

WANTED—TO RENT BY RELIable couple: no children, furnished apartment or two or three furnished housekeeping rooms. Address "A," care Courier. 8febtf*

WANTED—TO RENT BY APRIL 1st 5 or 6 roomed house and bath and telephone facilities in good location. Write HARRY BUCHANAN, Pittsburg and Walter streets, Uniontown, Pa. 11febtf*

WANTED—A POSITION AS BOOKkeeper or stenographer. Can furnish best references, and have had considerable experience along all lines of office work. Address "BOOKKEEPER," care Courier. 11febtf

WANTED—A LIVE WIRE, MAN or woman, to represent us. No other need apply. We have the goods that mean real money to the right party. NO-KNOT-U-TIRE CO., 310 Magee building, Pittsburg, Pa. 10febtf*

WANTED—TO RENT WORKSHOP for general repairs by April 1st; able to accommodate 2 or 3 cars; gas and electricity both needed if possible; centrally located. Write HARRY BUCHANAN, Pittsburg and Walter streets, Uniontown, Pa. 11febtf*

WANTED—I HAVE AN OPENING for one more good salesman, where the chance for promotion is rapid for the man who can show results. Only those having experience need apply. No boys. Apply F. H. WAKELEY, 151 East Crawford avenue. 8febtf

WANTED—SHIPPING CLERK AND checker. Mail stenographer and record clerk. Male preferred. Auto truck driver and mechanic. Lady checker; 40 other lady employes. Apply J. P. TRADER, superintendent, A. Overholt & Company, Broad Ford, Pa. 10febtf

For Rent.

FOR RENT—TWO FURNISHED rooms for gentleman. 115 South Sixth street. 7febtf

FOR RENT—FURNISHED BEDrooms for light housekeeping. 107 Fairview avenue. 11febtf*

FOR RENT—LARGE FURNISHED room. Gentleman preferred. Inquire 505 South Pittsburg street. 11febtf

FOR RENT—ONE FURNISHED room. Can be used for light housekeeping. Apply 312 East Fayette street. 11febtf*

For Sale.

FOR SALE—TWO IMPROVED farms. Inquire of A. G. NEWCOMER, Dawson, Pa. 6febtf*

FOR SALE—SIX ROOM HOUSE AND lot in Moyer. P. B. HALFHILL, R. D. No. 3, Connellsville. 8febtf*

FOR SALE—ONE GREY BABY carriage; one leather go-cart. Rear of 312 East Fayette street. 11febtf*

FOR SALE—TEN SHARES OF COLonial National Bank stock. Address "B. T. S." care Courier. 11febtf*

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND TWO two lots on Race street. D. P. PATTERSON, 105 Morton avenue. 11febtf

FOR SALE—COAL AT 12 CENTS per bushel. Delivered. J. D. PIERCE, South Connellsville. Tri-State 2045. 11febtf*

FOR SALE—1918 FORD AND 1915 Overland. Both in good condition. Apply 23 Bell and 562 Tri-State phones. 10febtf

FOR SALE—LARGE, YOUNG TEAM of mules, well broke. For sale cheap to quick buyer. Inquire W. A. WAKELEY, 151 East Crawford avenue. 8febtf

FOR SALE—50 TONS 16 AND 25 pound relaying rails in good condition. For particulars apply AMERICAN MANGANESE MFG. COMPANY, Dunbar, Pa. 6febtf

FOR SALE—1 GENERAL PURPOSE horse, coming 5 years this spring; 1 buggy, 1 set buggy harness, 1 pair shoals, 1 two-horse sled. Call at GALLAGHER FARM. 11febtf*

FOR SALE—FARM OF 152 ACRES with 2½ acres of Connellsville coal, 8 room brick house with all modern conveniences, two barns. Located in Fayette county near Everson borough, two minutes walk to car line, P. R. R. and B. & O. railroads. Write FRED TROPE, 217 Cohen avenue, Morgantown, W. Va.
feb 7, 8, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 25, 27 mar 3, 5*

FOR SALE—TWELVE ROOM DOUble house, with bath; on paved street. Rents for $528 a year. Will sell for $3,500. Five room house on Prospect street, $1,200. A two family house of six rooms, on Prospect street, $1,200. Eight room double house on the South Side, $2,500. Twelve room house on South Prospect street with bath, $3,500. Three room house in the Second ward, $200. Four room house in the Second ward, $300. No information on phone. JOS. A. MASON, Room 305 Second National Bank building.
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Moving, General Hauling.

GLOTFELTY'S BELL 842, TRIState 573. 13jutytf

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

The Steady Advertiser is making his Daily Trip to the Bunk with the Day's Haul. He is Loaded Down but he doesn't Seem to Mind. He Knows It Pays To Advertise and couldn't do without The Paper any more than The Paper could do without him. He never complains about Business being Dull.

Lost.

LOST—DIAMOND RING IN SOUTH Connellsville. Reward if returned to MRS. R. J. WILSON, South Connellsville. 10feb2t*

LOST—BLACK LEATHER POCKET book, with a few dollars and a receipt of a Liberty Bond. Finder please leave at Courier office. 11febtf*

LOST—PAIR OF GLASSES BEtween Orpheum Theatre and East Crawford avenue. Finder please return to OPPMAN'S TRANSFER. Reward. 11feb2t*

Moving Trucks.

T. R. ELLICOTT & SON, TRI-STATE 491-Z, R 2. 31jantf

Coal, General Hauling, Moving.

STRANGE, BELL 450, TRI-STATE 611-W. 4febtf

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H. R. NETH SOLICITS YOUR TINning, roofing, slating, gas fitting and furnace work. All kinds of repair work neatly done. 212 East Peach street, Connellsville. Bell phone No. 98. feb-8-11-13-15*

Desertion Notice.

WHEREAS, MY WIFE, ADA Weimer, having left my bed and board without just provocation, I hereby give notice that I will not be responsible for any debts of her contraction. FRANK WEIMER, 427 Baldwin avenue, Connellsville, Pa. 29jan3t*

Want Ads—1 Cent a Word.

Notice of Appeal.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS of the laws of this Commonwealth, the Commissioners of Fayette County, Pennsylvania, give notice to the taxable inhabitants within the respective boroughs, cities and townships of the said county, that the days of appeals for the triennial year of 1919, are as follows, to-wit:

COURT OF APPEALS.

Georges township and Fairchance borough, Monday, March 3, 1919, at the Albion Hotel, Fairchance, from 9 A. M. to 11 o'clock A. M.

Smithfield borough at Squire O'Neil's Monday, March 3, 1919, from 12 o'clock noon to 2 P. M.

Nicholson township at Old Frame, Monday, March 3, 1919, from 2.30 P. M. to 4 P. M.

Springhill township at Morris X. Roads, Tuesday, March 4, 1919, from 2 P. M. to 3 P. M.

Point Marion borough at the Point Marion Hotel, Tuesday, March 4, 1919, from 11.30 A. M. to 1.30 P. M.

German township at McClellandtown, Wednesday, March 5, 1919, from 9 A. M. to 12 o'clock, noon.

Masontown borough at the New Mason Hotel, Wednesday, March 5, 1919, from 1.30 P. M. to 3 o'clock P. M.

Luzerne township at Heisterburg, Thursday, March 6, 1919, from 9.30 A. M. to 11.30 A. M.

Redstone township at Andrew McClelland's at Thornton station, Thursday, March 6, 1919, from 1.30 P. M. to 4 P. M.

Brownsville borough and Brownsville township at the borough building Friday, March 7, 1919, from 10 A. M. to 12 o'clock noon.

South Brownsville, First, Second and Third wards, at the Bar House, Friday, March 7, 1919, from 1 P. M. to 4 P. M.

Jefferson township at the township hall in Jefferson township, No. 1, Monday, March 10, 1919, from 9.30 A. M. to 11 A. M.

Washington township and Fayette City borough at the town hall, Fayette City, Monday March 10, 1919, 12 o'clock, noon to 2 P. M.

Bolis Vernon borough at the Kyle Hotel, Monday, March 10, 1919, from 3 P. M. to 4.30 P. M.

Franklin township at Flatwoods, Tuesday, March 11, 1919, from 10 A. M. to 12 o'clock, noon.

Perry township at Perryopolis, Tuesday, March 11, 1919, from 1.30 P. M. to 3.30 P. M.

Bullskin township at Pennsville, Wednesday, March 12, 1919, from 10 A. M. to 12 o'clock, noon.

Everson borough and Upper Tyrone township at the Eureka Hotel, Everson, Wednesday, March 12, 1919, from 1.30 P. M. to 3.30 P. M.

Connellsville First, Second, Third and Fourth wards at the City Hall, Thursday, March 13, 1919, from 9 A. M. to 12 o'clock noon.

Connellsville Fifth, Sixth and Seventh wards at the City Hall, Thursday, March 13, 1919, from 1 P. M. to 4 P. M.

Dunbar township and Dunbar borough at the Dunbar Hotel, Friday, March 14, 1919, from 9 A. M. to 12 o'clock noon.

Vanderbilt borough at the Vanderbilt Hotel, Friday, March 14, 1919, from 1.30 P. M. to 3.30 P. M.

North Union township at the Court House, Uniontown, Pa., Monday, March 17, 1919, 9 A. M. to 12 o'clock, noon.

South Union township at the Court House, Uniontown, Pa., Monday, March 17, 1919, from 1 P. M. to 4 P. M.

Menallen township at Haddenville, Tuesday, March 18, 1919, from 9 A. M. to 11.30 A. M.

Uniontown, First, Second and Third wards at the Court House, Tuesday, March 18, 1919, from 1 P. M. to 6 P. M.

Uniontown, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth wards, at the Court House, Wednesday, March 19, 1919, from 9 A. M. to 12 o'clock, noon.

Uniontown, Seventh and Eighth wards at the Court House, Wednesday, March 19, 1919, from 1 P. M. to 4 P. M.

Dawson borough and Lower Tyrone township at the Haas Hotel, Dawson, Thursday, March 20, 1919, from 10 A. M. to 12 o'clock, noon.

Connellsville township and South Connellsville borough at the City Hall, Connellsville, Thursday, March 20, 1919, from 1.30 P. M. to 4.30 P. M.

Coal Companies, Friday, March 21, 1919, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. at the Court House, Uniontown, Pa.

Wharton township at William Olewine's at Chalk Hill, Monday, March 24, 1919, from 10 A. M. to 12 o'clock noon.

Henry Clay township and Markleysburg borough at Joseph Humbertson's, Monday, March 24, 1919, from 2 P. M. to 4 P. M.

Ohiopyle borough and Stewart township at the Ohiopyle House, Tuesday March 25, 1919, from 11 A. M. to 2 P. M.

Springfield township at Normalville, Wednesday, March 26, 1919, from 10 A. M. to 12 o'clock, noon.

Saltlick township at Margaret's Miller's, Indian Head, Wednesday, March 26, 1919, from 2 P. M. to 4 P. M.

The county levy for 1919 is 6 mills (3 mills for county purposes, 2 mills for road purpose and 1 mill for poor tax. Four mills for state tax.

LOGAN RUSH,
GEORGE P. HOOVER,
GEORGE W. HIBBS,
Fayette County Commissioners.

Attest:
ROBERT POWELL, Chief Clerk.

All taxables are hereby notified to pay eappecial attention to hours and dates of appeals.

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HIGH PRICES FAILING

Keep in touch with the Union Supplay Co. Stores and see daily how the high prices are being knocked into a cocked hat. Foodstuffs of every description, including groceries, provisions, and produce; domestic dry goods, notions, clothing, and shoes, all showing reduced prices daily. It is the beginning of the end of high prices—high cost of living. Watch the Union Supply company stores, patronize them if you want to get advantage of the falling prices

Union Supply Co.

43 Large Department Stores.

Located in Fayette, Westmoreland and Allegheny Counties.

Five Good Reasons

Why we are the store at which to buy your shoes:—

Our assortment is immense,
Our styles are right,
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Our prices are low,
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Why not come in and make us prove these five assertions?

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113 W. Crawford Ave. Connellsville

Patronize Those Who Advertise.

WORKINGMEN ATTENTION
If your Liberty Bond is not paid for—come in or write. We pay the difference and buy your bond for cash.
PENN'A. MERCANTILE AGENCY, Room 103 (Ground Floor), 331 Third Avenue, Pittsburg, Pa.
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FIRE INSURANCE,
WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION INSURANCE.
First National Bank Building.

CUSTOM COAL
West Side Coal Co.
Bell Phone 586

WEAR Horner's Clothing

J. B. Kurtz
NOTARY PUBLIC AND REAL ESTATE,
South Meadow Lane,
Connellsville, Pa.

BRICK PLANTS TO OPERATE BUT FOUR DAYS THIS WEEK

Hand-Drawn Ovens at Morewood and Alice are Banked.

WEDNESDAY, SATURDAY IDLE

William Lopes, 62, Dies at His Home Near Mount Pleasant; Heela Foreigner Expires at Memorial Hospital; "Doughboy" Minstrel Planned

Special to The Courier.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Feb. 11.—The hand ovens at Morewood and the ovens at Alice mines have been banked down light and Morewood, Standard, Heela and Carpentertown and other neighboring plants will be operated four days this week. Wednesday and Saturday will be layoff days.

William Lopes.

William Lopes, aged 62 years, is dead at his home at Brush Run. Funeral services will be held at the home at 2 o'clock Wednesday and interment will be made in the Greenlick cemetery. He leaves a wife and grown family.

Infant Dies.

Frank Steiner, aged 13 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Steiner of Vine street, died Sunday. Funeral services will be held from St. Joseph's church today and interment will follow in the St. Joseph cemetery.

Dies at Hospital.

Andy Sladecka, aged 37 years, died Sunday at the Memorial hospital. The body was taken to Reichman's undertaking rooms and prepared for burial and then to the man's home at Heela. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at the Polish church and interment followed in the Polish cemetery. Sladecka leaves a wife in Austria.

Mrs. Neider's Funeral.

Funeral services were held yesterday morning at 9 o'clock at the St. Joseph's church for Mrs. Margaret Neider who died at her North Diamond street home. She was 77 years old. Interment followed in the St. Joseph's cemetery.

"Doughboy" Minstrel.

At a meeting of the St. Joseph's Literary club it was decided to give a "doughboy" minstrel early in March. The minstrel will be under the direction of Julius Reichman.

DOCTOR PRESCRIBES VINOL

For This Weak Nervous Mother, Because He Knows the Formula.

Jacksonville, Ill.—"I have a twenty-months old baby and keep house for my little family, but got into a weak, nervous, run-down condition, tired all the time and no ambition. My doctor told me to try Vinol and in a week I felt like a new person. I am now strong again, look after my baby, and do all my housework."—Mrs. G. H. Lanman.

The reason we recommend Vinol, is because it is a constitutional remedy, containing beef and cod liver peptones, iron, and manganese peptonates and glycerophosphates, the most successful tonics known.

Laughner Drug Co., Connellsville, D. C. Huston, Dunbar, and Druggists everywhere.

P. S.—Our Saxol Salve stops itching and begins healing at once.—Adv.

Perryopolis.

PERRYOPOLIS, Feb. 10.—Miss Sadie Fretts has returned home after spending a few days with Miss Kate Fretts in Connellsville, who returned with her to spend Sunday.

The funeral of Miss Cynthia Reed was well attended. The following out of town friends attended the funeral: W. J. Reed and family, Vanderbilt; J. W. Reed and family, Brownsville; Miss Mae Fuller and Mrs. Ruth Henderson, Pittsburg; Mrs. Alva Piersol, Mr. and Mrs. Holland Piersol, Curtis Piersol, all of Connellsville; Mrs. Lewis and Charles Fuller, Uppermiddletown; George Armstrong, Connellsville; Christian Stuckslager and family, Tippecanoe; Mr. Walker, Pittsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Lilly, Friadstone.

Miss Isabelle B. Harris spent the week-end with friends in Pittsburg.

The lecture delivered at the high school auditorium Saturday evening by Captain Lougher was well attended and greatly appreciated.

A Valentine party, given by the local high school students, will be held in the auditorium Thursday evening.

An educational mass meeting for Perry township will be held here Friday evening and all day Saturday. Speakers from California, Pa., and Pittsburg will address the teachers.

Alpha Weiner of Roscoe spent Sunday with his parents here.

Ray Lynch, who is employed at Roscoe has been spending the past week at his home here on account of illness.

Jacob Echard, who has been in camp in Florida, is pending a furlough with his parents at Star Junction.

Mrs. J. F. Townsend, who has been ill with influenza for the past two weeks, is improving.

Floyd Lynch of Pittsburg is visiting wwith relatives.

LANE'S COLD & GRIP TABLETS GUARANTEED

Don't trifle with a cold—it's dangerous.
You can't afford to risk Influenza.
Keep always at hand a box of
HILL'S CASCARA QUININE BROMIDE
Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

ZIONISTS MEET

Efforts of Local Organization Furthered at Meeting Sunday.

At a meeting of the local Zionist organization Sunday evening speakers outlined the work in America. Dr. Neaman of Pittsburg spoke of the Jewish congress recently held in Philadelphia. Abraham Goldstein delivered an eloquent address in Hebrew, speaking of the hardships endured by the Jews in the oppressed countries, such as Russia, Galicia and Rumania.

After the meeting a temporary committee was organized for the purpose of looking after applications for membership. Application blanks were distributed through the audience in order to give every one present a chance to join.

HEAVY MEAT EATERS HAVE SLOW KIDNEYS

Eat Less Meat if You Feel Backachy or Have Bladder Trouble.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which excites the kidneys, they become overworked from the strain, get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood, then we get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness and urinary disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, stop eating meat and get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate the kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.—Adv.

Dickerson Run.

DICKERSON RUN, Feb. 10.—Miss Loraine Ambrose of Vanderbilt is spending a few days visiting relatives and friends at Masontown.

C. G. Foreman has returned home after a few days' visit with relatives and friends at Pittsburg and Glassport.

Thomas Sleeman returned to his home at Pittsburg yesterday after a few days' visit here with friends.

Mrs. Anna Moran of Scottdale spent Sunday here visiting her daughter, Mrs. James Beatty.

Read The Daily Courier every day.

NEURALGIA or Headache—Rub the forehead and temples with Vick's Vaporub
NEW PRICES—30c, 60c, $1.20

See Tomorrow's (Wednesday's) Papers for the News of This Supreme Bargain Event

Manufacturers' Outlet Sale!

Beginning Thursday, Feb. 13th—Doors Open at 8 O'clock

Now for the Bottom Prices of the Year

An event involving not only our own enormous stocks, but also special purchase from over-stocked manufacturers—bought at the lowest prices in the history of the trade and offered in this gigantic outlet sale at the most sensational reductions of the year. It's going to be the talk of the town.

Come!

KOBACKER'S "THE BIG STORE" ON PITTSBURGH ST.

Savings of One-Fourth to One-Half

From every district in Connellsville and from every town, village and hamlet within 12 miles will come thrifty shoppers in response to this announcement of an event of such savings as these.

It will pay you to lay in supplies for six months to come.

After the "Flu" —Fever or Cold

Clean the Acidity and Toxic Poisons Out of the Digestive Tract

Millions are now suffering from the after effects of the deadly "flu," a fever or a cold. Their appetites are poor; they are weak, and they are waiting for their strength to come back.

If these people could only realize that the return to health and strength would be greatly helped by giving attention to the stomach—that is, removing the acidity and toxic poisons from the entire digestive tract, making it act naturally, so that the body will receive the full strength of the food eaten—a great deal of suffering would be saved to humanity.

Everyone knows that the disease itself, and the strong medicines that have been taken, upset the stomach, leave it hot and feverish, the mouth dry, the tongue coated, a nasty taste, and no desire to eat. This is a poor foundation to build new strength on.

Now, tens of thousands of people all over this country are using EATONIC for the purpose of cleaning these poisonous after-effects right out of the system and they are obtaining wonderful results—so wonderful that the amazingly quick benefits are hardly believable, just as shown in the remarkable letter which is published upon the request of this sturdy old Civil War veteran. He is 77 years old. Read what he says EATONIC did for him:

"I am an old soldier, past seventy-seven years. I had the Spanish influenza and it left my stomach in an awful shape. I tried three different doctors but got no relief. As a last resort I sent and got a box of EATONIC and to my greatest surprise the very first tablet I took helped me. I can now eat anything I want, and feel fine."

Yours thankfully,
Fowler, Indiana
Dec. 4, 1918 C. S. Martin

P. S.: If you can make any use of this letter for suffering humanity, you are at liberty to do so. C.S.M.

This is only one case out of thousands. You should make the EATONIC test in your own case at once. You have everything to gain—not a penny can you lose, for we take all the risk. Your own common sense, your own feelings, tell you that a good appetite, good digestion, a good stomach, with the fever poisons and effects of strong medicines out of your system, will put you on the road to strong, robust health again.

You want to enjoy life again after you have battled with the "flu", fever or colds, or any other illness that has taken your strength. You want to get back your old-time vigor, be full of pep and enthusiasm—be able to work with ease, instead of listlessly, half-heartedly dragging out a mere existence.

So be sure to take a box of EATONIC home with you today. We cannot urge this too strongly. If EATONIC fails to give you positive beneficial results, it will not cost you a penny. There is no risk—the benefit is surely all for you.

TAKE EATONIC TODAY
FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH

NOTE—Over 20,000 drug stores throughout the United States sell and guarantee EATONIC. If you cannot obtain EATONIC quickly at your drug store, do not be without it. Write us and we will mail you a big 50c box at once and you can send us the 50c after you get it. Address EATONIC REMEDY CO., 1044 South Wabash Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

HORSES—MULES—PONIES—HARNESS

Good Young Pit Mules, 50 to 58 inches, $100 to $175; Shetland Ponies, 38 to 53 inches, $75 to $135. Also good pit horses and large pit mules; draft and general purpose horses; double, single and mine harness, at the right prices.

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WOOL JERSEY AGAIN

Little tucks are used to finish the edges of this jersey frock which is of a soft shade of brown called dust. Little tucks, also, are the only trimming on the severe chemise of fine lawn. A big leather covered buckle of tan fastens the bodice at the side.

STRENGTHENS KIDNEYS—PURIFIES BLOOD

You can't expect weak kidneys to filter the acids and poisons out of your system unless they are given a little help. Don't allow them to become diseased when a little attention now will prevent it. Don't try to cheat nature.

As soon as you commence to have backaches, feel nervous and tired, GET BUSY. These are usually warnings that your kidneys are not working properly.

Do not delay a minute. Go after the cause of your ailments or you may find yourself in the grip of an incurable disease. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules will give almost immediate relief from kidney troubles. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules will do the work. They are the pure original Haarlem Oil Capsules imported direct from the laboratories in Haarlem, Holland. Ask your druggist for GOLD MEDAL and accept no substitutes. Look for the name GOLD MEDAL on every box. Three sizes, sealed packages. Money refunded if they do not quickly help you.

Ohiopyle.

OHIOPYLE, Feb. 10.—The Misses Kurtz of Confluence are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Show on Commercial street.

Miss Hazel Morrison was a Confluence caller Saturday.

H. H. Smitley of McNance was a business visitor here Saturday.

Leland Woodmancy of Pittsburg spent Saturday and Sunday at his home here.

Miss Winnie Hart spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Connellsville.

Mrs. Charles Collins and daughter, Thelma, were among the Connellsville callers Saturday evening.

Miss Ella Corristan has returned to her home here after the past week spent in Connellsville.

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"CAP" STUBBS. "CAP" ENTETAINED HER 'TIL MA CAME. By EDWINA

SELLING OUT

Our entire $35,000 stock of high grade merchandise, must be, and will be sold regardless of cost or value, to make room for new Spring goods that's arriving every day. See our double page hand bill for particulars and complete list of the most wonderful Bargains ever offered you, anywhere at any time.

Sale Now Going on and Will Last 4 Days Only

$1.00 Men's heavy Wool Hose, Selling Out Price, pair **39c**

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Special lot of Blankets, per pair at **$1.98**
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Unrestricted choice of any Men's Suit or Overcoat in the store, values up to $50.00, Selling Out Price **$16.75**

Ladies' Coats and Suits!

Special lot of Ladies' Coats at **$2.98**
Special lot of Ladies' Suits at **$5.90**
Special lot of Ladies' Coats at **$9.75**
Special lot of Ladies' Suits at **$7.95**
Your choice of any Misses' or Child's Coat in the store at *ONE HALF PRICE.*

Waists and Skirts!

Special lot of Waists, all sizes, this season's goods, values up to $3.50 **79c**
$6.00 and $7.00 Silk Waists, all sizes **$1.98**
Special lot of Dress Skirts, all sizes, values up to $7.50, at **$2.98**
$10.00 and $12.50 Skirts, all wool serges and fancy silk, all sizes, at **$3.98**

Boys Suits!

$5.00 and $6.00 Boys' Suits, sizes 3 to 8 only, must go at **$2.98**
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Any Boys' O'vercoat in the store at ONE HALF PRICE.

Shoes! Shoes!

Special lot of Men's Outing Bal. Shoes (Scout) at **$1.98**
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$2.25 and $2.50 Men's Slippers (Romeos) at **$1.34**
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Special lot of Silk and Serge Dresses at **$7.95**
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A beautiful Apron House Dress, very new, at **$1.98**

30c Calicos, light or dark patterns, Selling Out Price, yard **14c**

72x90 full size Sheets, regular $1.75 grade, Selling Out Price **98c**

Lancaster Ginghams and Percales, 35c value, Selling Out Price, yard **19c**

Ladies 'heavy ribbed Union Suits, all sizes, $2.25 value, Selling Out Price, suit **79c**

35c and 40c Bleached or Unbleached Muslin, Selling Out Price, yard **19c**

$1.25 Ladies' extra heavy ribbed Shirts or Drawers, Selling Out Price, garment **49c**

Misses' and Children's Black Hose, 35c value, Selling Out Price, pair **19c**

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FAYETTE COUNTY MOUNTAINS IDEAL FOR THE PRODUCTION OF THE FINEST OF POTATOES

During the past two days the Fayette County Farm bureau had the services of Dr. E. L. Nixon, who is in charge of plant disease control for the agricultural extension department of the Pennsylvania State college. His particular phase of work in this county will be potato disease control.

Dr. Nixon is a specialist in potato diseases and their control, and has made a study of this work in practically every large potato growing section in the country. Lehigh county, Pennsylvania, is the second greatest potato growing county in the United States, and Dr. Nixon said there is no reason why the mountain section of Fayette county should not excel Lehigh county in the quality and quantity of potatoes produced. The reason the mountain section of Fayette county should become such a great potato growing region is because it has soil very well adapted to the production of potatoes and the mild climate gives the tubers an extra fine quality.

There is one condition, however, that interferes with the production of potatoes even in the most ideal potato growing sections and that is potato diseases. It is the purpose of the farm bureau, by means of demonstrations, particularly in the mountain region, to show during the coming season that these diseases can be controlled and the resulting increase in yield will pay many times for the cost of control.

At the present time there is a strong demand for disease-free seed potatoes. The future of the potato growers in the mountain is to organize in the production of one good variety, produce pure clean seed, give this some publicity and thus assure a big demand for their product.

KEPT TRADITIONS OF ARMY

British Government Made Wise Move When It Refused to Create New Regiments.

It was a wise decision on the part of the British government to create no new regiments when they entered the great war. Instead, the number of battalions in existing regiments was increased. Many of these regiments were very old, and about them hung the traditions of a glorious past. In uniting himself to such a body as the Royal Scots, the Welsh Fusilier or the Black Watch, as the case might be, a man unconsciously lost the sharpness of his own individuality in the eager desire to conform to the traditional characteristics of a great company. He was, in a way, no longer John Doe or Richard Roe, but the Royal Scots, the Welsh Fusiliers guardian of the usages of an age-old organization, exemplar of its soldierly conduct. Proud of his regiment, he was taught to prove his pride in his manner and dress.

It was with the view of emphasizing every detail of this pride that British military authorities decided to replace the bronze buttons of uniforms with buttons of brass, which the soldiers are required to polish daily. Even in the trenches officers and men must shave daily, and when, after a week of hard fighting and sometimes short rations, the remnant of a battalion is relieved, it is required to march at attention with parade-ground precision, as it leaves the trenches for its holiday rest in the rear. It is this rigid subjection to every detail that has in part made possible the heroic stand that British troops have made against a more numerous foe. Their lines bent back, but they did not break; they lost bit by bit the ground they fought over, but never their fighting spirit, their cohesiveness, their esprit de corps.—Century.

Flint Refuse of Value.

A remarkable record of an important prehistoric industry is promised by the archeological survey now being directed by Dr. W. T. Mills, in the Flint Ridge district, between Columbus and Zanesville, O. An outcrop of flint-bearing limestone extends for ten miles or more, and is entirely covered with pits dug by the ancient miners in search of workable flints. The waste fragments chipped from the flints in making arrowheads and other implements form nearby deposits 15 feet deep in places, supplying material of modern value for road building.

Salad Jell

Lime Jiffy-Jell is flavored with lime-fruit essence in a vial. It makes a tart, green salad jell.

Jiffy-Jell desserts are flavored with fruit-juice essences, highly condensed, sealed in glass.

Each dessert tastes like a fresh-fruit dainty—and it is.

You will change from old-style gelatine dainties when you once try Jiffy-Jell. Millions have changed already.

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Easy to Make This Pine Cough Remedy

Thousands of families swear by its prompt results. Inexpensive, and saves about $2.

You know that pine is used in nearly all prescriptions and remedies for coughs. The reason is that pine contains several peculiar elements that have a remarkable effect in soothing and healing the membranes of the throat and chest. Pine is famous for this purpose.

Pine cough syrups are combinations of pine and syrup. The "syrup" part is usually plain granulated sugar syrup.

To make the best pine cough remedy that money can buy, put 2½ ounces of Pinex in a pint bottle, and fill up with home-made sugar syrup. Or you can use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, you make a full pint—more than you can buy ready-made for three times the money. It is pure, good and very pleasant—children take it eagerly.

You can feel this take hold of a cough or cold in a way that means business. The cough may be dry, hoarse and tight, or may be persistently loose from the formation of phlegm. The cause is the same—inflamed membranes—and this Pinex and Syrup combination will stop it—usually in 24 hours or less. Splendid, too, for bronchial asthma, hoarseness, or any ordinary throat ailment.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, and is famous the world over for its prompt effect upon coughs.

Beware of substitutes. Ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

GOOSEBONE FORECASTING

Prophet Thinks That Cold Weather Will Last Well Into Spring.

L. S. Sargent, Junction City, Kan., has made his annual "goosebone" weather prophecy. It calls for a steady winter, unvaried by periods of milder weather, and the low temperature will last well into the spring. The breastbone of the goose is used in casting the weather, the amount and location of the dark coloring matter indicating the period when winter weather may be expected. Mr. Sargent has been keeping the goosebone weather records for more than 30 years and claims for the goosebone a batting average of 1,000 as a weather forecaster.

Iron Cross for Loan Dodger.

A citizen of Conyngham, a farming district near Hazelton, Pa., has received through the mail an Iron Cross for "distinguished services" in the fourth Liberty loan drive. On the cross are these words: "Gott Helf Uns" ("God Help Us"). Where the emblem came from no one knows, but it was sent in recognition of the failure of the recipient to take any bonds.

Hippo Described.

Johnny, who had been to the circus, was telling his teacher about the wonderful things he had seen.

"An', teacher," he cried, "they had one big animal they called the hip—hip—"

"Hippopotamus, dear," prompted the teacher.

"I can't just say its name," exclaimed Johnny, "but it looks just like 9,000 pounds of liver."

MISS ELEANOR BLISS

Daughter of Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, one of the American delegates to the peace conference.

Lettuce in Winter.

An early spring supply of lettuce is assured British women gardeners who have adopted the glass-jar method this past winter. Large jars inverted over the lettuce head protect the plant from frost. This system is specially desirable, since it keeps land working throughout the whole year.

It Didn't Matter.

The prima donna sweetly trilled—
Was talented beyond a doubt;
Her notes the auditorium filled,
But none knew what she sang about.

BANISH CATARRH

Breathe Hyomei for Two Minutes and Relieve Stuffed Up Head.

If you want to get relief from catarrh, cold in the head or from an irritating cough in the shortest time breathe Hyomei.

It should clear out your head in two minutes and allow you to breathe freely.

Hyomei often ends a cold in one day. It will relieve you of disgusting snuffles, hawking, spitting and offensive breath in a week.

Hyomei is made chiefly from a soothing, healing, antiseptic, that comes from the eucalyptus forests of inland Australia where catarrh, asthma and consumption were never known to exist.

Hyomei is pleasant and easy to breathe. Just pour a few drops in the hard rubber inhaler, use as directed and relief is almost certain.

A complete Hyomei outfit, including inhaler and one bottle of Hyomei, costs but little at druggists everywhere and at A. A. Clarke. If you already own an inhaler you can get an extra bottle of Hyomei at druggists.—Adv.

Great Healer for Sores, Cuts, Scalds, Burns and Bruises

Great Antiseptic Ointment Called San Cura That the Laughrey Drug Company, Connellsville, and the Broadway Drug Company, Scottdale, Sell on Money-back Plan.

"Arm badly scalded with steam," writes Gilbert Hard of Rinard's Mills, Ohio; "San Cura Ointment relieved the pain at once and arm healed rapidly. It is a wonderful ointment."

Here's another: Ellis W. Frankenstein, Titusville, Pa., broke his leg; was in bed six months; discharged from hospital as incurable; was five years on crutches, while opening in leg continued to discharge pus; suffered terrible pains; San Cura Ointment drew out poisonous pus and many pieces of bone; now perfectly healthy; sore healed, and weight increased from 86 to 121 pounds.

San Cura Ointment is such a marvelous healing antiseptic ointment that *it is sold on money-back plan.*

It relieves itching skin, tetter, eczema, salt rheum, old running and fever sores, ulcers, boils, carbuncles, sore nipples, piles, frosted feet, chilblains, catarrh and chapped skin. Only 30c, 60c and $1.20 a jar.

Be sure and always use SAN CURA SOAP for all skin diseases and to give you a fine complexion. It's a splendid baby soap, prevents infantile diseases. 25 cents.—Adv.

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FAMOUS FOR GENERATIONS

Now Sold by Druggists Everywhere

It penetrates to the spot that hurts and drives out pain and inflammation in a manner truly magical.

Keep a bottle on hand for family use.

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AT ALL GOOD DRUG STORES

LOOK FOR THE BEAVER ON EVERY PACKAGE.

SAW FAR INTO THE FUTURE

Men Predicted Coming of the Telegraph and Airplane as Far Back as Seventeenth Century.

One hundred and four years ago, at this season, the war of 1812 was practically over. Peace was signed at Ghent on the evening of December 24, 1814, and then things moved fast, according to existing standards. December 26 one of the American secretaries left Ghent for London and January 2, 1815, he left England for New York, where he arrived some time in February, and his news was immediately delivered to the citizens by printed handbills. Other cities, however, had to remain in ignorance during the time it would take a fast rider to urge his galloping horse over the roads between them and New York. The telegraph was not yet invented, says Christian Science Monitor, although Joseph Glanvil, a seventeenth century preacher with an interest in the possibilities of invention, had told the Royal society that "to confer, at the distance of the Indies, by sympathetic conveyances may be as usual to future times as to us in literary correspondence." Glanvil, by the way, also told the Royal society that "to those who come after us it may be as ordinary to buy a pair of wings to fly into the remotest regions as now a pair of boots to ride on a journey."

Boy Babies Arrive.

From Reading comes the news that Berks county babies are very largely male. If there are those who consider this a phenomenon, they are little acquainted with history. It is the universal experience that immediately after any war the birth rate rises and males are in the majority. This is the way in which nature cares for her own, although no scientist has been able to give any satisfactory explanation of the fact.

Unless this reproduction of the destroyed sex was universal we should soon have a one-sided world in the matter of sex. We have had wars from time immemorial and many of them have been extremely bloody, but the average of the sexes has been maintained to the satisfaction of humanity.

Nature is good to her own and preserves by curious methods a balance which is beneficial to the race. Twenty years from now the world population will be greater than in 1914, even if it is not, as some claim, already greater, in spite of the loss of 8,000,000 or more lives.—Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

War Preparations.

"What's the latest from the front?" asked the sultan when the grand vizier came to make his daily report.

"Your highness, the Servians are marching on Novipazar, and are almost at Ristovatz," said the grand vizier.

"I guess you had better order the royal mechanic to strengthen the Z lever in the official typewriter," sighed the sultan. "It looks as if it was in for a hard season."

FEW FOLKS HAVE GRAY HAIR NOW

Druggist Says Ladies Are Using Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur.

Hair that loses its color and lustre, or when it fades, turns gray, dull and lifeless, is caused by a lack of sulphur in the hair. Our grandmother made up a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to keep her locks dark and beautiful, and thousands of women and men who value that even color, that beautiful dark shade of hair which is so attractive, use only this old-time recipe.

Nowadays we get this famous mixture improved by the addition of other ingredients by asking at any drug store for a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which darkens the hair so naturally, so evenly, that nobody can possibly tell it has been applied. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also brings back the gloss and lustre and gives it an appearance of abundance.

"See 'Gets-It' Peel Off This Corn."

Leaves The Toe as Smooth as the Palm of Your Hand.

The corn never grew that "Gets-It" will not get. It never irritates the flesh, never makes your toe sore. Just two drops of "Gets-It" and presto! the corn-pain vanishes. Shortly you can peel the corn right

It's Wonderful to See "Gets-It" Peel Off Corns!

off with your finger and there you are—pain-free and happy, with the toe as smooth and corn-free as your palm. "Gets-It" is the only safe way in the world to treat a corn or callus. It's the sure way—the way that never fails. It is tried and true—used by millions every year. It always works. "Gets-It" makes cutting and digging at a corn and fussing with bandages, salves or anything else entirely unnecessary. "Gets-It," the guaranteed, money-back corn-remover, the only sure way, costs but a trifle at any drug store. Mf'd by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

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The RIVER

by EDNAH AIKEN

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CHAPTER I.

Marshall Sends for Rickard.

The large round clock was striking nine as "Casey" Rickard's dancing step carried him into the outer office of Tod Marshall. The ushering clerk, coatless and restless in expectation of the third hot spring day, made a critical appraisement of the engineer's get-up before he spoke. Then he stated that Mr. Marshall had not yet come.

For a London tie and a white silk shirt belted into white serge trousers were smart for Tucson. The clerks in the employ of the Overland Pacific and of the Sonora and Yaqui railroads had stared at Rickard as he entered; they followed his progress through the room. He was a newcomer in Tucson. He had not yet acquired the apathetic habits of its citizens. He wore belts, instead of suspenders. His white trousers, duck or serge, carried a newly pressed crease each morning.

The office had not reached a verdict on the subject of K. C. Rickard. The shirt-sleeved, collarless clerks would have been quick to dub him a dandy were it not for a page of his history that was puzzling them. He had held a chair of engineering in some eastern city. He had resigned, the wind-tossed page said, to go on the road as a fireman. His rapid promotion had been spectacular; the last move, a few years ago, to fill an office position in Tucson. The summons had found him on the west coast of Mexico, where the Overland Pacific was pushing its tracks.

"You can wait here," suggested the clerk, looking covertly at the shoes of the man who a few years before had been shoveling coal on a Wyoming engine. "Mr. Marshall said to wait."

"Ribbons, instead of shoe laces!" carped the human machine that must ever write letters which other men sign. "And a blue pin to match his tie! I call that going some!"

It would never have occurred to Rickard, had he thought about it at

He Walked to the Window.

all that morning as he knotted his tie of dark, brilliant blue silk, that the selection of his lapis pin was a choice; it was an inevitable result, an instinctive discretion of his fingers. It warped, however, the suspended judgment of Marshall's men, who had never seen him shoveling coal, disfigured by a denim jumper. They did not know that they themselves were slovens, ruined by the climate that dulls vanity and wilts collars.

"Give him a year to change some of his fine habits!" wagered Smythe, the stoop-shouldered clerk, as the door of the inner office closed.

"To change his habits less!" amended the office wit. And then they fell to speculating what Marshall was going to do with him. What pawn was he in the game that everyone in Tucson followed with eager self-interested concern? Marshall's was the controlling hand in Arizona politics; the maker of governors, the arbiter of big corporations; president of a half-dozen railroads. Not a move of his on the board that escaped notice.

On the other side of the door Rickard was echoing the office question. This play job, where did it lead to? He had liked his work, under Stratton. There had been some pretty problems to meet—what did Marshall mean to do with him?

The note had set the appointment for nine. Rickard glanced at his watch and took out his Engineering Review. It would be ten before that door opened on Tod Marshall!

He knew that, on the road, Marshall's work began at dawn. "A man won't break from overwork or rust from underwork if he follows the example of the sun," Rickard had often heard him expound his favorite theory. "It is only the players, the sybarites, who can afford to pervert the arrangement nature intended for us." But in Tucson, controlled by the wifely solicitude of his Claudia, he was coerced into a regular perversion. His office never saw him until the morning was half gone.

A half-hour later Rickard finished reading a report on the diversion of a great western river. The name of Thomas Hardin had sent him off on a tangent of memory. The Thomas Hardin whose efforts to bring water to the desert of the Colorado had been so spectacularly unsuccessful was the Tom Hardin he had known! The sister had told him so, the girl with the cool breeze spun, regal matrix, the were, with glints of gold, or was it green? She herself was as unlike the raw boor of his memory as a mountain lily is like the coarse rock of its background. Even a half-sister to Hardin, as Marshall, their host at dinner the week before, had explained it—no, even that did not explain it. That any of the Hardin blood should be shared by the veins of that girl; why it was incredible! The name "Hardin" suggested crudity, loud-mouthed bragging; conceit. He could understand the failure of the river project since the sister had assured him that it was the same Tom Hardin who had gone to college at Lawrence; had married Gerty Holmes. Queer business, life, that he should cross, even so remotely, their orbits again. That was a chapter he liked to skip.

He walked over to the windows, shielded by bright awnings, and looked down on the city where the next few years of his life might be caught. Comforting to reflect that an engineer is like a soldier, never can be certain about tomorrow. Time enough to know that tomorrow meant Tucson! What was that threadbare proverb in the Overland Pacific that Tod Marshall always keeps his men until they lose their teeth? That defined the men who made themselves necessary!

His eyes were resting on the banalities of the modern city that had robbed "old town" of its flavor. Were it not for the beauty of the distant hills, the jar and rumble of the trains whose roar called to near-by pleasure cities, twinkling lights and crowded theaters, stretches of parks and recreation grounds, he, who loved the thrill and confinement of an engine, who had found enticement in a desert, a charter of adventure in the barrancas of Mexico, would stifle in Tucson! American progress was as yet too thin a veneer on Mexican indifference to make the place endurable—as a city.

"I'm good for a lifetime here, if I want it," his thoughts would work back to the starting place. "If I knuckle down to it, let him grow to depend on me, it's as good as settled that I am buried in Tucson!" Hadn't he heard Marshall himself say that he "didn't keep a kindergarten—that his office wasn't a training school for men!" He wanted his men to stay! That, one of the reasons of the great man's power; detail rested on the shoulders of his employees. It kept his own brain clear, receptive to big achievements.

"Perhaps as the work unrolls, as I see more of what he wants of me, why he wants me, I may like it. I may get to shout for Tucson!" It was impossible enough to smile over! Child's work, compared to Mexico.

The distinction of serving Marshall well certainly had its drawbacks. He wanted to sweep on. Whether he had a definite terminal, a concrete goal, had he ever stopped to think? Specialization had always a fascination for him. It was that which had thrown him out of his instructorship into the firebox of a western engine. It had governed his course at college—to know one thing well, and then to prove that he knew it well! Contented in the Mexican barracks, here he was chafing, restive, after a few weeks of Tucson. For what was he getting here? Adding what scrap of experience to the rounding of his profession?

Retrospectively engineering could hardly be said to be the work of his choice. Rather had it appeared to choose him. From boyhood engineers had always been, to him, the soldiers of modern civilization. To conquer and subdue mountains, to shackle wild rivers, to suspend trestles over dizzy heights, to throw the tracks of an advancing civilization along a newly blazed trail, there would always be a thrill in it for him. It had changed the best quarterback of his high school into the primmest of students at college. Only for a short time had he let his vanity sidetrack him, when the honor of teaching what he had learned stopped his own progress. A rut!—He remembered the day when it had burst on him, the realization of the rut he was in. He could see his Lawrence schoolroom, could see yet the face under the red-haired mop belonging to Jerry Matson—queer he remembered the name after all those years! He could picture the look of consternation when he threw down his book and announced his desertion.

He had handed in his resignation the next day. A month later and he was shoveling coal on the steep grades of Wyoming.

"Marshall keeps his men with him!" The engineer's glance traveled around the fleckless office. A stranger to Marshall would get a wrong idea of the man who worked in it! Those precise files, the desk, orderly and polished, the gleaming linoleum—and then the man who made the negro janitor's life a proud burden! His clothes always crumpled—spots, too, unless his Claudia had had a chance at them! Black string tie askew, all the outward visible signs of the southern gentleman of assured ancestry. Not even a valet would ever keep Tod Marshall up to the standard of that office. What did he have servants for, he had demanded of Rickard, if it were not to jump after him, picking up the loose ends he dropped?

Curious thing, magnetism. That man's step on the stair, and every man-jack of them would jump to attention, from Ben, the colored janitor, who would not swap his post for a sinecure so long as Tod Marshall's one lung kept him in Arizona, to Smythe, the stoop-shouldered clerk, who had followed Marshall's cough from San Francisco. It was said in Arizona—he himself had met the statement in Tucson—that any man who had ever worked for Tod Marshall would rather be warmed by the reflection of his greatness than be given posts of personal distinction.

Was it office routine Marshall intended him for? He admired without stint Tod Marshall, but he preferred to work by the side of the other kind, the strong men, without physical handicap, the men who take risks, the men who live the life of soldiers. That was the life he wanted. He would wait long enough to get Marshall's intention, and then, if it meant—this! he would break loose. He would go back to the front where he belonged—back to the firing line.

As the hands of the round clock in the outer office were pointing to ten the door opened and Marshall entered. His clothes, of indefinite blackish hue, would have disgraced an eastern man. His string tie had a starboard list, and his hat was ready for a rummage sale. But few would have looked at his clothes. The intent energy of the dynamic spirit that would frequently turn that quiet office into a maelstrom gleamed in those Indian-black eyes. Beneath the shabby cloth one suspected the daily polished skin; under the old slouch hat was the mouth of purpose, the lips that no woman, even his Claudia, had kissed without the thrill of fear.

Marshall glanced back at the clock, and then toward his visitor.

"On time!" he observed.

Rickard, smiling, put his book in his pocket.

CHAPTER II.

Bit of Oratory.

Marshall threw his hat on a chair, the morning paper on his desk. He aimed his burned-out cigar at the nearest cuspidor, but it fell foul, the ashes scattering over Sam's lately scoured linoleum. Instantly there was appearance of settled disorder. Marshall emptied his pockets of loose papers, spreading them out on his flat-top desk.

"Sit down!"

Rickard took the chair at the other side of the desk.

Marshall rang a bell. Instantly the shirt-sleeved clerk entered.

"I shall not see anyone," the chief announced. "I don't want to be interrupted. Take these to Smythe."

His eyes followed the shutting of the door, then turned square upon Rickard. "I need you. It's a h—l of a mess!"

The engineer wanted to know what kind of a "mess" it was.

"That river. It's running away from them. I'm going to send you down to stop it."

"The Colorado!" exclaimed Rickard. It was no hose to be turned, simply, off from a garden bed.

"Of course you've been following it? It's one of the biggest things that's happened in this part of the world. Too big for the men who have been trying to swing it. You've followed it?"

"Yes." Queer coincidence, reading that report just now! "I've not been there. But the engineering papers used to get to me in Mexico. I've read all the reports."

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THE SOISSON.

'CLEOPATRA'—A William Fox special production starring Theda Bara is being shown today The picture was also presented yesterday and all performances were witnessed by large crowds Miss Bara is seen in one of the best roles of her screen career The production is a wonderful and great throbing melourama The picture is well acted and the scenic effects are spectacular Supporting the star is a cast of prominent screen players A selected comedy is also being shown This is a program in which you should not fail to see There is not a dull moment throughout the entire performance Tomorrow Priscilla Dean will be presented in 'The Two Souled Woman' Friday and Saturday Madge Kennedy will be seen in "The Kingdom of Youth, her newest Goldwyn picture The winsome artiste delights in her new role

When the Baby Needs a Laxative---

No one knows better than the ever-watchful mother—the natural doctor of the family in all the small ills—that when the baby is out of sorts it is usually due to indigestion or constipation

It is always well, in any of its illnesses, to look for this cause. The diet may have to be changed, but before good can result from it, the bowels must be moved

The mother has the choice of many medicines—cathartics, purgatives, bitter waters, pills, physics, etc But the little body doesn't need such harsh remedies for they wrench the system and do only temporary good, so often followed by an unpleasant reaction.

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RALPH SLIGER TELLS OF HIS MOVEMENTS SINCE HE LEFT YEAR AGO TOMORROW

Starts With Departure For Camp Lee and Ends With Close of December.

LOCATED AT QUINCEROT

Earlier Letter Tells of Events Immediately Following the Signing of the Armistice; Same Cheery Ralph, Tho Sometimes He, too, Gets the Blues.

Writing to his wife from Quincerot, France Corporal Ralph I Sliger, member of Company H, 319th Infantry, tells in chronological order of his movements since he left Connellsville, February 12 1918, for Camp Lee, and covering the entire time up to December 30 on which date the letter was mailed Ralph is the same cheery individual who bade goodbye to The Courier force a year ago tomorrow He is taking things as they come and trusting that soon he will be back home He says.

'Left Connellsville February 12, 1918, over the Baltimore & Ohio Arrived in Camp Lee February 13, 1918 Was taken to Depot Brigade and received my first shot in the arm After staying in depot brigade for five days I was assigned to Company H 319th Infantry Trained hard until May 16 Left Camp Lee May 17 Arrived in Norfolk, Va on same evening. Boarded the Duca D Abruzzi Sailed May 18 Submarine battle May 30 Arrived at port St. Nazaire May 31

'I was seasick eight days coming over Hiked to Camp No 1 May 31 Left Camp No 1 June 1 Arrived at English sector Camp No 6 June 7 Left June 9 and went to Stimmer the same day Hiked to Mineville on evening of June 9 Slept in shelter half tent for the first time Froze all night. Trained hard at Minnebille until July 3 Left July 4 Arrived at Boquemaison July 22 Hiked to La Cauchie July 22 Took position in the support trenches on the Arras front July 26 La Cauchie July 29 on rest.

Monchy, front line, August 1 Relieved August 4 Back for a rest. Ayette support August 14 Relieved August 18 Hiked to Frenent August 19 Hiked to Fiendilliers August 20 Hiked to Bernaville August 22 Arrived American sector August 23 Hiked to La Foret August 24 Hiked to Mont Moyer August 30 Hiked to Chattalior August 31.

'Boarded train September 2 and arrived at Ligny the same day Hiked to Stainville September 3 Hiked to Marlincourt, September 8 Hiked to Decaine September 11 Hiked to Ligny and guarded prisoners to September 25 Took trucks to Fromeyville September 26 Hiked to Dead Man's Hill No 104, September 26 In Meuse river drive September 27 Relieved September 30

In Argonne forest drive October 4 Relieved October 11 It was a tough drive Was in Mantillers at this time Rest October 11 Went in trucks to La Chalade October 23 Hiked to lines October 31

In Argonne drive November 1 Relieved November 4 Company H captured 642 prisoners Hiked to Sommant November 8 Hiked to Florent November 13 Hiked to Villers November 18 Hiked to Gurry November 19 Hiked to Revigny November 20 Hiked to Sandrupt November 22 Hiked to Eclaron November 23 Slept in a swamp in a shelter half tent in frost almost inch deep Froze Hiked to Moronville November 24 Hiked to Thil November 25 Hiked to Arsnoal November 26 Hiked to Loches Thanksgiving Day Rained all day, no dinner Hiked to Arthomay November 29 Hiked to Crucy-le-Chatel November 30 Shoes worn out Hiked to Quincerot December 10 Through Villers Made this hike three times before being sent back to join my company Was appointed regimental runner at Mineville and acted as same up until this time, December 30 During battles and on long hikes I was from regimental headquarters as regimental runner

'I was down at Arthomay this morning and of course it rained Oh what a cheerful (?) place Quincerot is I will try and write a newsy letter the next time, so for this time will close"

In a letter written January 1 he says—

"I am going to start the New Year off in the right way by writing you a letter The weather man has made a good start for it is 1 o clock and it has not rained yet I now have a pretty good appetite for my supper, which will be served at 3 o clock.

I had a touch of grip I guess because I was weak and dizzy and had a headache I don't think, though, that I ever felt better than I do today Some of the fellows say they don't like the idea of crossing the ocean in January, or February as the water is so rough those two months But I'll take a chance

"We were out on a problem yesterday We went up steep hills and through woods that were so thick you could hardly make any progress The enemy was supposed to have been ahead of us in force We were to form a battle line and start to advance We captured machine gun forts charged over open places and into the woods to chase the enemy out We stormed a hill and when we got out on the open on top we threw ourselves flat on the ground in what we call a thin wave

On some problems we advance for miles in this manner and when we finish the affair we are pretty tired It rained yesterday while we were chasing the enemy, but that didn't make any difference—we chased him just the same.

"I am sending you a clipping I cut out of the Stars and Stripes It does not say very much about what we did, but it mentions the 80th and 82nd We are getting mail again, but it comes in slowly I expect to get some this evening"

The day before Christmas Ralph wrote as follows

"I wish you could see us now—the night before Christmas It makes me laugh when I see in the paper about the Christmas dinner the boys in France will get Bacon and hardtack for breakfast and for the other meal a can of salmon

I am going to church tomorrow I should be thankful and I am thankful that I came through this war safely I should not kick, but you know how blue a fellow gets at times don't you

"Some of the fellows have received their Christmas packages but what you sent has not arrived as yet although I am expecting it later I did not hear a thing from Walter only what you wrote me They say that no news is good news therefore I am getting lots of good news

I looked like a rag man for a few days there until I got some new clothes The cooties? Yes, they are still with us We fixed a snare to catch a rabbit for tomorrow's dinner but it didn't work so I guess we will do without rabbit"

An earlier letter, dated November 17 1918 says

"Well how did old Connellsville receive the news of the winning of the war? There was not much excitement among the boys here You know we old veterans don't get excited any more We had a feeling of relief however to know that there would be no more hardships to undergo

I have not heard from Walter since we came out of our last drive but I hope he is all right. The night we were going in on our last drive we met the division Walter belongs to coming out. I located his regiment, but could not locate his company You see, we were going in pretty fast and they were coming out the same way The night was very dark, so I missed him

The town we are in now we came to the day the armistice was signed When the French heard of the armistice they rang bells and hungs out flags I guess they called it a demonstration But gee, a kid back home with a penny-pack of firecrackers could raise more noise and excitement in one minute than the French could in a day

"You remember I told you about marching in buckwheat batter (mud)? Well, we walked in that stuff for three days and of course our feet were wet for three days and three nights It was pretty hard walking with a heavy pack but I came through all right.

November 21—Since I started this letter I have had no chance to mail it so I will add a little more We are on an eight-day hike just now We still have five more to go I don't know just where we are going but we think we are on our way to the coast I am still with headquarters company but expect to get back to my own company after the hike is over

"It is cold over here Last night I slept in an airdrome The night before I slept out in the open I don't know when I can mail these letters perhaps not until the hike is over Will mail at the first opportunity however"

Catarrh Of the Stomach Is Dangerous

Thousands Have It and Don't Know It' Says Physician Frequently Mistaken for Indigestion—How To Recognize and Treat

Thousands of people suffer moreor less constantly from furred coated tongue, bad breath sour burning stomach frequent vomiting rumbling in stomach, bitter eructations gas wind and stomach acidity and call it indigestion when in reality their trouble is due to gastric catarrh of the stomach,' writes a New York physician

Catarrh of the stomach is dangerous because the mucous membrane lining of the stomach is thickened and a coating of phlegm covers the surface so that the digestive fluids cannot mix with the food and digest them This condition soon breeds deadly disease in the fermented unassimilated food. The blood is polluted and carries the infection throughout the body Gastric ulcers are apt to form and frequently an ulcer is the first sign of a deadly cancer

In catarrh of the stomach a good and safe treatment is to take before meals a teaspoonful of pure Bisurated Magnesia in half a glass of hot water as hot as you can comfortably drink it. The hot water washes the mucous from the stomach walls and draws the blood to the stomach while the bisurated magnesia is an excellent solvent for mucous and increases the efficiency of the hot water treatment Moreover the Bisurated Magnesia will serve as a powerful but harmless antiacid which will neutralize any excess hydrochloric acid that may be in your stomach and sweeten its food contents Easy natural digestion without distress of any kind should soon follow Bisurated Magnesia is not a laxative is harmless pleasant and easy to take and can be obtained from any local druggist. Don't confuse Bisurated Magnesia with other forms of magnesia, milk, citrates, etc., but get it in the pure bisurated form (powder or tablets), especially prepared for this purpose.

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SICK IN HOSPITAL

Name of Joseph Cunningham in Official Casualty List Today.

The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary Forces

Killed in action	5
Died of wounds	5
Died from accident and other causes	1
Died of disease	10
Wounded severely	215
Wounded (degree undetermined)	467
Wounded slightly	641
Total	1 345

Included are

Wounded (degree undetermined))—Corporal Philip P Hoke (Joe Hoke) Latrobe, Private Clyde Mayne (Stephen J Mayne) Washington

Wounded slightly—Private John E Millhouse (Mrs Mary Millhouse) Berlin Private Charles G Tierno Mrs Mary G Tierno), New Alexandria

Sick in hospital (previously reported missing in action)—Mechanic Joseph Cunningham Mrs Slizabeth Howard) West Apple street Connellsville

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